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THE EDITOR SAYS—

The Standard editor hadn't expected to have anything ugly or personal to say about any candidate during this campaign, but the last minute liar is abroad and has mixed our name up in a way that we don't like and we propose to reset it in a way through this column. Over in Ward 4 workers for Ed Fuchs through his agents, henchmen, or himself, are putting out the information that if Dr. Presnell is elected, the Board of Public Works will be discontinued and the management of the system placed in the hands of a committee of Aldermen appointed by the Mayor who will have the handling of the finances of the city, and they are aiming to leave the impression the committe will rob the city. The law of the city calls for a non-partisan board consisting of four members and until that law is removed from the books, the Mayor can do nothing, and Dr. Presnell has stated he favored the Board of Public Works and that it was a law. If Ed Fuchs is responsible for his aids putting out this lie, and even countenances same, he is unworthy of the office and should be beaten. Over in Ward 3 the story is that if Dr. Presnell is elected Mayor, he will be ruled by The Standard editor. This would be fine if it could be true as we would certainly pay a few debts.

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Of possible interest to some people here is the recent declaration of a District of Columbia supreme court justice that Mexican divorces, granted when neither party is in Mexico, "are invalid and void as to residents of the United States". His ruling followed the suit for maintenance by a woman whose husband had divorced her in Juarez and married another woman. The man now possesses two wives and one worthless Mexican decree.

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See where a former employee of the Dexter Statesman has gone into the funeral directing business. He might begin practicing on the editor of that flamboyant sheet, who has for a long time been dead from the neck up—only he hasn't realized it yet.—Caruthersville Democrat.

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In another column is a story from the Cape Missourian in regard to the Graphic Arts Code under which country printing offices operate. We wish to call the attention of our readers, and especially our merchants, to this article, as it has to do with a cost system of all the output of a country newspaper and job shop. It is to do away with cut-throat methods and give a man living wages for what he does.

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The past several days nave been busy ones for our local candidates and their political friends. Quite a bit of wild and foolish talk has been made by some that will do them no good. There are few men ever run for office but what some talk is made about them. That is one reason we have never been a candidate for office in any community where we lived. There is more or less talk about our local candidates now in the field, but pay no attention to it as every one of them is a good citizen and tomorrow you will regret having listened to any idle talk. Vote for whom you please and it will be all right here.

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Simon Loebe paid the editor a short visit Sunday afternoon and was looking very well but was weak. He spent the past four weeks at Hot Springs and expects to go to St. Louis in a few days for a thorough examination. He thinks his gall ducts is giving him trouble. Here's hoping he will soon be in good health.

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For the benefit of inquiring friends will say we attended the picture show "Bolero", featuring Sally Rand in her fan dance. The fans looked pretty good but Sally cavorted around so fast and used the fans at the wrong time, that we couldn't see whether she looked pretty good or not.

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It is a wonder some of these bright Government agents who are running over the country trying to tell the farmers what to do, doesn't have all the male pigs of the corn belt meet with these agents and a veterinarian and try to settle the question of overproduction of pork.

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Charley Blanton of The Sikeston Standard has been editor of that ebullient journal for 21 years. "It was our first experience of editing and publishing a newspaper, and whether or not we have succeeded is for the readers to say". Well, sir, you have done well. The Standard is newsy, breezy. attractive, popular and soundly Democratic. As for Colonel Charley himself, he has made a lasting name in journalism—no other editor on earth has so thoroughly qualified himself to pass judgment on fan dances and fan dancers, as well as intimately related subjects. If Colonel Charley were to retire from the field, we would feel that a great void had come into our life. He lives too close to Sir Edmund Crowe to be infallibly uprighteous, but, considering this proximity, he has made a fine record. Long may he wave.—Missouri Democrat.

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Moonlight on lagoonns under a star-studded sky brought them knowledge of love.—Malone Thea-

Suspected Killers of Green Still at Large

Officers are still hunting for Don Vinyard and Fred Adams, who live near Rector, Ark., to question them concerning the killing of Clarence Green, night marshal of Campbell, who was fatally shot Wednesday night as he chased three suspiciously acting men into a clump of woods near Campbell. Suspicion is directed toward Vinyard because his automobile was found in Campbell after the slaying. Adams is said to have been with him.

Raymond Young, who was caught at his home in Rector Thursday, is now in a Southeast Missouri jail and will be charged with complicity in the crime as well as in the robbing a week ago of two stores in Advance.

Funeral services for Green were held Sunday afternoon at the Assembly of God Church in Campbell. Green is survived by his wife, thre small children, and his parents, all of Campbell.

Sikeston Airport Will Be Dedicated July 3-4

The Sikeston municipal airport will be dedicated with an air meet to be held on July 3 and 4. Preliminary arrangements are now being made by Earl Johnson supervisor of the airport, to bring flyers and ships here for the program, which will include various contests among airmen, exhibition flying, parachute leaps, and a boys' model airplane competition.

More than half the work necessary to complete the airport has already been done, and as soon as the field is finished, about May 1, it will be used by mail and passenger lines.

At a meeting March 20, the five men appointed by Mayor N. E. Fuchs to serve on a newly-formed aviation board chose their officers. Members of the board and their positions are: Chairman, Hubert Boyer, representing the City of Sikeston; secretary, J. E. Harper, representing the Chamber of Commerce; treasurer, Clay Mitchell, representing the Lions Club; airport supervisor, Earl Johnson, representing the Henry Meldrum Post 114 of the American Legion, and technician, Leonard McMullin, representing the Scott County Court.

Plan of Employment To Follow the CWA

Jefferson City, March 30.—A relief program supplanting the civil works program and providing just enough employment to meet budgetary needs of persons on relief rolls was announced last night by Wallace Crossley, State relief director.

The new program, which may not continue longer than a month, is expected to enable counties to complete many CWA projects already under way. A minimum wage of 30 cents an hour will be paid and county committees will be permitted to rotate employment so as to aid al their needy citizens.

To organize the program, Crossley said, a recess of one week will be taken after conclusion of the civil works program, which ends Saturday.

Within a few days, he said, allotments and instructions on setting up county work organizations will be sent out. County committees must determine eligibility for employment on the basis of relief needs.

New Madrid County Superintendent's News

Milus R. Davis

Last week we received another "mess" of Federal Blanks to fill out regarding the financial status of districts needing Federal Aid to finish the legal term of school. This makes the fourth set of blanks and stemming the tide of this raging sea of technical data has made the writer begin to show his age despite his zealous desire to retain his youthful status.

In our February requisitions we asked for Federal Aid for some schools which, under these latest requisitions, will not be entitled to aid since they now have enough money on hand to pay teachers in full. The government will see that all teachers are paid in full this year which we appreciate, even though it does mean a lot of filling blanks.

On April 3 the citizens of this democracy will meet in their respective districts to select directors whose duty it will be to make every effort to have the best possible school on the amount of available money.

We have complaints occasionally that school boards are squandering public money and are not working to the interest of all concerned. But why should this happen in a democracy Are not the people clothed with the sole and exclusive right to select board members who will conduct the school's business on a high moral plane?

Then if these voters are careless and do not exercise their prerogative in choosing directors of the highest type, who is to blame? Should not the voters themselves assume the blame when they display the indifferent attitude of voting carelessly or staying at home and not voting at all?

We urge every sincere patron to go to the school election Tuesday and vote conscientiously. Let us show to the world that our democracy is able to produce efficiency and justice. It is better to vote itelligently now than to complain later.

Each year we are faced with many embarrassing questions concerning the anti-nepotism law and before this comes up again we wish to tell you all we know about it so that we shall not be accused of taking sides when the squabble is at its hottest. The supreme court has ruled that any board member automatically disqualifies himself when he votes for a relative as teacher whether the relative be by blood or marriage. Rulings, law, have been made by the attorney general and the State department but the supreme court of Missouri has passed only on the one point mentioned above. This supreme court ruling was made within the last year.

The writer enjoyed meeting with the citizens of the Barnes Ridge school Friday, March 23, as well as the delicious dinner prepared by the good housewives. Mrs. Aleene LaPlant, the teacher, presented a brief progrm and Supt. B. F. Laws of East Prairie and the writer exposed some of their philosophy in short talks.

Pressley Miller, teacher of Cade School, tells us that his closed on March 22 and that a nice crowd was present. A conflict in dates prevented the writer from attending, which we regret.

The second payment of State-aid has just been made as follows:

LaForge	$ 319.98
Linda	160.85
O'Bannon	137.79
LaFont	55.15
Barnes Ridge	55.72
Cade	76.92
Higgerson	56.58
Dawson	113.30
Pleasant Valley	156.27
Hough	7.06
Kendall	45.69
Union Grove	77.63
Oak Island	76.63
Pt. Pleasant	264.55
Fairview	185.20
Scott	234.33
Boekerton	239.06
Walnut Grove	169.73
York	155.70
Sugar Tree	79.35
Bowman	55.00
Wilburn	61.02
Philips	123.32
St. Mary	150.54
Tinsley	74.05
Broadwater	615.77
Matthews	2207.10
Canalou	1426.18
Conran	895.64
Kewanee	1191.14
Parma	1801.17
Risco	2480.24
Portageville	1811.63
New Madrid	2506.71
Marston	918.42
Lilbourn	3421.86
Morehouse	1812.34
Gideon	3830.23

This payment amounts to 14.3% whereas we only expected about 10%. Last September we received 15.2% which together with this payment makes a total of 29½% for the year. Next year we expect about 45 or 50 per cent of

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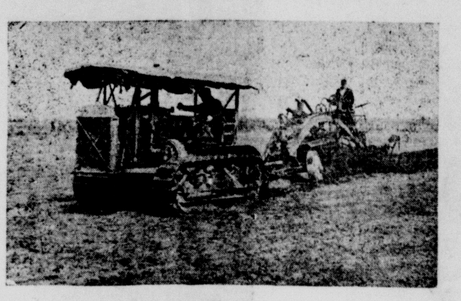

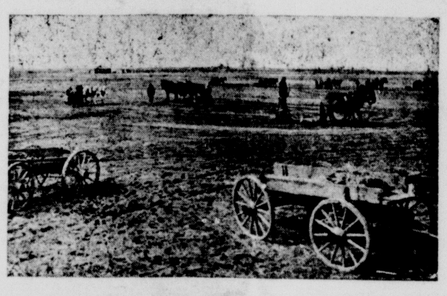

Courtesy of Southeast Missouri Telephone News

Here CWA workers are shown grading the land for Sikeston's municipal airport, which will be located a mile east of town. Twenty drivers with teams and shovels and men operating a large tractor began March 2 to prepare the ground. The work is now more than half completed.

The Farmer, The Railroad The City Man

By John T. Stinson

Where there is a lack of interest in agriculture on the part of the business men in any town, agriculture in that immediate vicinity is sorry indeed. So it doesn't require an extraordinary amount of brains to gather that where the two work hand in hand—the farmer and the city man—a greater sense of well being, happiness and contentment is prevalent.

We of the Missouri Pacific Lines, and especially of the Agricultural Development Department, know that when we want to get a message to the farmer we must have the co-operation of all agencies, and that we cannot secure results without first enlisting the whole-hearted support of the business men.

When L. W. Baldwin came to the Missouri Pacific as its president in 1923 he quite fully realized that the vast territory traversed by the railroad was agricultural, so he immediately set out to develop it further in the way best suited. No time was lost in employing a force of agricultural men, men who had studied the science in the best colleges of the country, men who had also had experience among the farmers, and who could talk the farmer's language as well as convince any group of business men of the importance of agriculture to business and vice versa.

Last fall, an article entitled "It's Peach Festival Time", appeared in a southern newspaper. It called attention to the Fifth Annual Celebration of Crowley's Ridge in eastern Arkansas, commemorating the time when peaches began to be grown on a large scale. Notwithstanding the fact that a peach orchard, planted 35 years ago, had proved successful from the start, the farmers as a whole seemed to have a cotton complex and did not take up peach growing until county agents and other agricultural agents began to advocate it.

Our department did play a leading part in putting this peach growing program over; it was one of our earlier projects. But our help was not sufficient. Everyone on Crowley's Ridge became interested in its success; they all saw what it would mean. The railroad was interested, because it meant more carloads—inbound and outbound; the farmer, because it meant an added source of revenue as well as getting away from the one crop system—cotton; and most certainly the busines man, because the towns on Crowley's Ridge are dependent upon the farmer for their business. Naturally, they all three joined hands.

Mr. Baldwin and a retinue of officials made a special trip down the Ridge to present the importance of this industry to the people. He and others of his staff, and leading business men, made talks at the principal towns from Paragould to Helena. All civic organizations, chambers of commerce, Rotary, Lions and other clubs, responded in a united effort to make this occasion worth while, looking to future benefits, not only for the farmer but for all. A holiday was declared and the farmers, business men, school children, everyone turned out en masse to get behind this project.

Today trees, scattered over 5000 acres, which sometimes bring as much as $300 to $400 an acre. Figure it out for yourself! You will agree that this amount of purchasing power placed in a farming section sixty miles in length and a few miles wide is indeed quite worth while. Unified effort put it over.

Primarily, our department advocates getting away from only one pay-day for the farmer, and this can only be done through diversification. We don't try to tell the farmer what to do; he knows his business, but we do want to work with him and endeavor to impress upon him the value of improved methods for growing the best adapted crops.

The "Exhibit Train" is a most effective method of reaching the farmer. Since the organization of our department, exhibit trains have been a regular part of our program. We have the necessary equipment, exhibits, etc., and the qualified men to put over the technical knowledge and ideas, but we don't "go it" alone.

First, we enlist the support of the Agricultural Extension Service of the State or States through which the train is to operate; second, the U. S. Department of Agriculture, whenever possible, is invited to participate; third,, industries, directly interested in agriculture, which might have new and improved methods with reference to the particular program we endeavor to put over, are always glad to be represented, and last and of great importance are the business men of the towns at which the train will stop.

I hasten to add, however, that it is very rare that the business men do not want to help put our program over. To the contrary they are most insistent in their demands that we stop at their town and, as there is always keen rivalry, each town always tries to outdo its neighbor. Therefore, everyone pitches in, forms committees, and all go to great length to make our visit a celebrated occasion. Farmers come from miles around and the whole town turns out. There are parades, attendance prizes are offered, stores have special sales; there is special entertainment.

From 1925 to 1931 we have operated a total of twenty-six exhibit trains, covering many vital subjects in farming. Nearly five hundred thousand people have attended our lectures and viewed our exhibits, and it must be borne in mind that these are not merely curiosity seekers, but those who are dependent upon farming for their livelihodo, and who naturally display a profound interest in our programs and exhibits.

Of course, economic conditions during the last three years have generally wrought havoc in all fields of endeavor. That story is only too well known to all of us. But the new day is on its way; in fact it's almost here, and, as goes agriculture, so goes the nation. The root of the situation lies in agriculture. The farmer keeps the rest of the country alive. Hence, it behooves all industry to co-operate with the farmer. By co-operation I mean not merely trying to appear interested in the farmer simply as a means of an outlet for whatever goods may be sold him, but an active, working to program.

Plans Are Completed for Election Day Here

Three dpeuty sheriffs, for each of the four wards, approved by Judge Frank Kelly of the Scott County Ciricuit Court and sworn in by the County Clerk, will be in Sikeston today to supervise the election, making certain that there are no repeaters and that no out-of-town negroes are brought here to vote.

The campaign, the liveliest and fiercest this town has seen for numerous years, has gradually reached a peak of intensity. Campaign cards have been distributed throughout the residential districts, and bills containing promises, accusations and answers have been circulated by persons interest in the most hotly contested race that for mayor. As usual, many men are running for the office of city collector, but almost all aspirants have opponents.

Weather predictors promise that the skies will be bright and fair, and loyal party members think this year's vote may exceed that of many others.

KELLY WILL RUN AGAIN

Frank Kelly, Cape Girardeau, for twelve years circuit judge of the twenty-eighth district, which comprises Cape Girardeau, Scott and Mississippi Counties, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for that position subject to the August primaries. The term of thsi office is six years.

Judge Kelly was born February 28, 1867, in St. Louis but was reared in Jefferson County. After graduating from the public schools and from Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau, he taught school while he studied law. He was admitted to the bar at Hillsboro in 1893, and in April, 1895, moved to Benton. From January 1, 1899, to December 31, 1907, he served as prosecuting attorney of Scott county. Later he went to Cape Girardeau, where he was city attorney from 1910 to 1912.

Actual Work Started On Tanner Street

Actual work was begun this morning on the new Tanner street pavement, which will connect Kingshighway with Highway 61. About eleven laborers started grading the right-of-way in front of the high school.

The men who work on this project will be those most needing employment. While the grading is still in progress an equal number of men will work for thirty hours in alternating shifts. Later, when the concrete is being poured approximately twenty-five men will work at once.

It is generally conceded that Tanner street is the one thoroughfare, not already paved, which most requires attention, since it is used not only by persons desiring to reach Highway 61 from the north part of town but also by those attending the numerous functions held at the high school throughout the year.

Total List of CWA Expenses in Sikeston

A total of approximately $20,540 has been furnished Sikeston for CWA labor and for rations issued by John Young, who is in charge of CWA work here, to needy famlies. Of this about $18,000 was used for payrolls.

The commodities shippped here were surplus rations bought by the federal government and sent to Sikeston for distribution. A list of those issued and their estimated value follows:

One hundred and fifty tons of coal, $750; 891 pounds of butter, $245.25; 536 dozen eggs, $53.60; 23 sacks of flour, $13.80; 1840 lbs. of smoked meat, $184; 905 pounds of salt pork, $90.50; 1995 pounds of fresh beef, $199.50; 20 bushels of apples, $30; 100 dozen oranges, $20; 22 blankets, $44 and for grocery orders, doctors and medicine, $1109.75.

chambers of commerce, Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs—being solely interested in the immediate benefit of their towns, why not work directly with the farmer, have him directly represented by his leader in these organizations? Allow the town and its trade territory to work as one in striving for mutual benefit. I would venture that where this spirit of general co-ordination manifests itself, these will be the communities to forge to the front more quickly and stay there, than where the farmer and the business man do not try to work out their problems together.

Plans are now under way for a gigantic migration to the farms, more so than ever before, to the farms where a living can be had, where happiness and contentment will reign. After all the rough spots are ironed out, when all business is once more stabilized as it is bound to be, the farmers, the railroad and the business man will continue to work together.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

C. E. Jones, who for ten years has been on the faculty of the Beatrice, Neb., high school, will give a demonstration lecture on "The Magic of Electricity" Monday afternoon, April 9, at 1:00 o'clock at the high school. Mr. Jones has traveled extensively throughout th e Middle West, speaking on the various phases of electricity.

Roy V. Ellise, city superintendent of schools, will deliver commencement addresses at the high schools in Diehlstadt and Lilbourn on the evenings of May 10 and 11. Since Mr. Ellise has been here he has spoken on similar occasions in every county town except Fornfelt.

NEW ROUTE CONSIDERED

Members of the Scott County Court are considering securing a part of the right-of-way of the gulf line of the Frisco Railroad, which is now being dismantled. The Benton-Manning's Landing section may be made into a farm-to-market road, a part of it being a river-view route. J. H. Dolan, George J. Arnold, and John Miller recently appeared before the court to voice their approval of this

THE WEATHER

The following daily high and low temperatures were recorded by John LaFont at the Frisco statio:

	High	Low
Thursday	66	32
Friday	70	40
Saturday	78	44
Sunday	76	46

CRESCENTS WIN CONTEST

The Cape Girardeau Crescents won the championship of the invitational tournament conducted in Fornfelt during the week-end by defeating the Fornfelt Stags in the finals Saturday evening, 34 to 16. The 75 Million Club of Cape Girardeau took third place from Fruitland witn a score of 52 to 25.

In the semi-finals Saturday afternoon the Crescents defeated the 75 Million Club, 27 to 21, and the Stags, Fruitland, 41 to 28.

At the opening round of play Thursday evening, Thebes eliminated Sikeston, 31 to 24. Others winning were the Fornfelt Bobcats, from Cape Girarueau Centenary, Illmo, from Morley, and the Cape Girardeau 75 Million Club, from Benton. Fruitland won from Oran on a forfeit.

Friday night the Crescents defeaed Thebes, the 75 Million Club eliminated Matthews, the Fornfel Stags won from Illmo and Fruitland, from the Fornfelt Bobcats.

TROOP 43 SCOUTS MEET

Tharon Stallings, Scoutmaster of Troop 43, drilled about forty members of his group at a Boy Scout meeting held Thursday evening at the Armory. Demonstrations of first aid given by three boys of each patrol within the troop followed the drill. Members of the Hawk patrol were judged the best.

Next week the patrols will compete in a signalling contest. All young men interested in Scouting are invited to attend a troop meeting at 7 o'clock Thursday night in the Armory.

Jeff Potlocks is still seeking his stray pig. He was very fond of him, and in order to be sure that he will get the right one, he has already brought home three nice

HUSK O'HARE AND HIS BAND HERE WEDNESDAY NITE

HUSK O'HARE

Husk O'Hare with his genial gentlemen of the air who is appearing Wednesday evening, April 11 at the Armory, Sikeston, has travelled in his personal appearance tours, far enough to have encircled the globe more than four times. Besides short trips, he has made three special trips. On the first, he appeared in 107 towns in 17 States and travelled 33,000 miles; on his second trip he made even greater mileage, he travelled 48,000 miles to play in 229 towns in 28 States. His recent tour was shorter . . . he made only 80 towns in sixteen States and travelled a mere 18,000 miles. It isn't just exactly 'wanderlust' that makes a globe trotter of Husk O'Hare . . . it is popular demand. Requests pour into the Music Corporation of America for this popular orchestra leader who holds more records for drawing crowds than most any other dance band leader. They want him for theatre engagements, dances and benefit performances. Everywhere he goes a 'sell out' is assured. On the dance floor the debonair crowds dance with delight to his scintillating rhythm, while the balconies are packed with those who know that Husk O'Hare will play their special requests.

Congenial host . . Husk O'Hare. He knows people and likes people. A keen psychologist. He reads some fiction, but spends most of his time reading psychology and musing over some of his most interesting fan mail. Every piece is tabulated . . and the most recent statistics given out by his secretary show that he has received more than 650,000 pieces of fan mail. After all, that is no small item . . . averaging the postage alone at two cents apiece . . It amounts to a neat sum of $13,000. During one of his recent seasons at a Loop Hotel in Chicago, the hotel's bill for postage alone was $6000 for answering the letters abound the dance band leader.

Husk O'Hare answers each piece of fan mail that comes to him . . and sends along a picture of the entire band. That is just a detail of his generosity. He is always giving some sort of gift to someone . . he never forgets anyone. In fact, that is where he gets his greatest pleasure . . . and it may be one of the reasons why one of the greatest newspaper columnists in America has called him "the genial gentleman of the air".

BENEFIT CLUB TO MEET

The Woman's Benefit Association will hold an inspirational meeting Wednesday evening, April 4, at 8 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. Hall, instead of on Thursday as previously anounced. Prominent persons who will attend are Mrs. May A. C. Sommers, State field director of the organization for Missouri, Miss Dorothy K. Hunt, supervisor of girls' clubs in Port Huron, Mich., and Dr. Edna Stone, of St. Louis, health supervisor for Missouri. It is hoped that every member of the association will come to the meeting.

RUSSELL-BRADLEY TO MEET NEXT TUES. NIGHT

The Russell-Bradley Missionary Society of the local Methodist Church, will hold its meeting next Tuesday night, April 10, with Miss Mayme Marshall. Mrs. Loomis Mayfield, assistant hostess.

W. M. U. CIRCLES TO MEET THURSDAY

The Circles of the Woman's Missionary Union, First Baptist Church, will meet at the following places this Thursday afternoon:

Circle No. 1—Mrs. W. R. Burks
Ruth Circle—Mrs. Wm. Carson
Young Matrons' Circle—Mrs. Clyde Meredith

AUXILIARY NOTES

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. Marshall Myers Friday evenig, April 6. All members are urged to attend this meeting. The friendship quilt which was finished, will be given away at this

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C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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The Standard editor enjoyed a visit Friday morning from Wm. L. Bradshaw, of Columbia, Mo., field agent for Missouri for the American Municipal Association of the Federation of State Leagues of Municipalities, whatever all that means. He knew our son David quite well and spoke very highly of him which was very pleasing to us.

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Dr. G. W. Presnell for Mayor. He is a man that will serve all alike. Some may think as he is a doctor, he doesn't need the office. However, did you ever stop and think that he takes care of many sick families and never gets a cent, beside spends his hard earnings for medicine. He is a straight man in every respect and hope all will think of this when they cast their vote.—Contributed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Congress—

We are authorized to announce Dr. Z. Lee Stokely, of Poplar Bluff, as a candidate for Congress from this district subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary election.

For Circuit Judge—

We are authorized to announce Frank Kelly as a candidate for Judge of the 28th Judicial Circuit subject to the will of the voters of the August primary.

For Mayor—

We are authorized to announce N. E. Fuchs as a candidate for re-election as Mayor of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Dr. G. W. Presnell as a candidate for Mayor for the City of Sikeston, suject to the will of the voters, at the April election.

For Police Judge—

We are authorized to announce W. H. Carter as a candidate for Police Judge of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Jos. W. Myers as a candidate for re-election for Police Judge of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Wm. S. Smith as candidate for Police Judge, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

For City Attorney—

We are authorized to announce Robert A. Dempster as a candidate for City Attorney of the City of Sikeston, subject to the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Massengill as a candidate for City Attorney for the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

For Police Chief—

We are authorized to announce Ira Shuffit as a candidate for Police Chief of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

For City Collector—

We are authorized to announce D. L. McElroy as a candidate for City Collector, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Ed "Pete" Kendall as a candidate for Collector of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Elmos Taylor as a candidate for re-election as Collector of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

For Alderman—

We are authorized to announce Lynn Waggener as a candidate for re-election as Alderman from the First Ward to the City Council, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to annuonce Charlie Henson as a candidate for alderman in the second ward of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Hubert Boyer as a candidate for re-election of Alderman of Ward 2, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Walter Hughes as a candidate for alderman in the Second Ward of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Thos. F. Rafferty as a candidate for aldermen in the 4th ward of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April

TO THE PUBLIC

Vienna, Ill.,
March 16, 1934

Mr. W. H. Carter,
Sikeston, Mo.

I will gladly recommend you for you made one of the best, if not the best deputy sheriffs that Johnson County ever had and as chief police of Vienna, I never heard one word of complaint about your official duties while in office.

As ever, your friend
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The District of Columbia supreme court has swept away another legal obstacle to trial of Bishop Cannon, Jr., and Ada L. Burroughs on charges of violation of the corrupt practice act when it overruled a demurrer to two counts of the original indictment. Previously, the supreme court had ruled out eight of the ten counts as the result of a demurrer filed some time ago. Today's action, however, leaves in effect the two principal counts charging conspiracy. The indictment was returned as a result of alleged failure to list contributions received during the Hoover-Smith campaign of 1928. It now looks as if the old scallawag will have to be tried on the merits of the case. He has tried every technicality possible to avoid being brought to the bar of justice, but without avail.

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EINSTEIN DEPRIVED OF RICH CITIZENSHIP

Berlin, March 29.—Prof. Albert Einstein, noted physicist now conducting research at Princeton, N. J., was deprived of his German citizenship along with 36 other persons today, the Reich government officially decreed.

Einstein and the others not only lost their citizenship, but all their propery was confiscated, and the ministry of interior was authorized to extend the confiscatory measures against their relatives.

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Frozen Boots!

LITTLE AMERICA, ANTARCTICA, Feb. 12 (via Mackay Radio)—Believe it or not, we are still hauling supplies from the scattered caches on the ice into Little America and, according to my boss, Commander Noville, we shall be at it for a total of three weeks or more. I am actually living in a little tent out by Pressure Camp and I'm looking forward to getting into one of those warm snow-buried wooden huts in Little America that isn't in danger of being blown away by the wind.

Speaking of wind, we've got plenty of it and they tell me this is only a beginner. We are reaching the end of our summer season down here and the boys tell me it is nice and balmy. I wouldn't know that. The thermometer says fifteen degrees below zero and a biting wind sends the cold right through our veins.

W. S. McCormack our autogyro pilot

There are 51 of us working on the ice and already we are watching each other's faces for signs of frostbite. If we see a small white dot appear on another fellow's nose we run up to him and help him to rub it with snow to restore the circulation. Frostbite is no fun under our circumstances and Dr. Shirey has been busy fighting it with us, but now he is gone. Illness forced him to quit the Expedition and he is on his way back to New Zealand on the Jacob Ruppert. We'll miss him. We understand the research ship, Discovery II, is bringing us another doctor who will be transferred to the Bear at Oakland and brought here to spend the next year or so with us on the ice. Then the Bear will have to run out of here to New Zealand before the Ross Sea freezes again, so we'll be left all alone for twelve months. I wonder—about a lot of things!

In addition to my job of segregating the many types of fuel and oil for the various airplanes, tractors and snowmobiles, as they require it, I am now helping in the distribution of parts for all these machines. Gosh, I didn't know there was so much work in the world! The only water we have is heated snow, so even the sketchy washing of hands and face and shaving are priceless luxuries. Bathing is out of the question. Later, when we get indoors we'll clean ourselves with cold cream. I never realized what a wonderful song that was, "Gee, How I Hate To Get Up In The Morning." It is a miserable feeling crawling out of a warm sleeping bag into a temperature of ten below zero and finding your boots frozen solid so you have to beat them against the tent pole to soften them up before you can put them on and thus get your feet in out of the weather. No yawning or stretching. Once awake and out of your nest and you have to move fast.

Al Carbonne, the cook, is having a picnic trying to feed us properly. Working under tremendous difficulties, with only a single three-burner gasoline stove to prepare five meals every 24 hours for 51 men, he is performing miracles. But we must eat fast. The food turns stone cold in two or three minutes and freezes solid in ten. Out on the trail we have thermos bottles of hot cocoa. You can bet I am very careful to keep that stove supplied with the proper gasoline.

We are working day and night at top speed to get our supplies to Little America before the bay ice and barrier ice feet break off. There is a considerable crisis of this kind now at Pressure Ridge but, with luck, we'll beat it.

I'm delighted at the radio news that these disconnected, hurried little yarns of mine are proving interesting and are running in hundreds of newspapers and that my club is growing so fast. They tell me that high school teachers in history, science and geography are enrolling their entire classes and studying the stories with the working maps every week. That's swell! The more the merrier. We welcome as members, without any cost whatever, all people interested in aviation, adventure and exploration who send in a self-addressed stamped envelope to C. A. Abele, Jr., president, Little America Aviation and Exploration Club, Hotel Lexington, 48th Street and Lexington Avenue, New York, N. Y. and the club staff will send them all a membership card and a big map of the South Polar region.

(Next Week: "A New Exploration")

Washington Comment

About two years ago, on the 29th of May, 1932 to be exact, the Bonus Expeditionary Force arrived in Washington and went into camp. It tarried in the capital until the latter part of July, when it was dispersed by force of arms, the organization being kept intact to some degree until Johnstown, Pa. was reached, where the army broke up. It is said that a similar movement will be instituted about the first of April. The first bonus disturbance was regretted by the friends and foes of the bonus payment alike, and it is to be hoped that a repetition of what happened in 1932 may be avoided.

About two thousand years ago, Paul wrote that he was having a hard time of it in the general neighborhood of Greece. According to his account, he was in peril in the city, in peril on the sea, and in peril at the hands of his own countrymen. A former Chicago banker seems to be in much the same plight. Greece does not want him, the ocean tosses his vessel about, and a hot reception awaits him if he comes home. Once more history repeats itself. A statement which is true, even though Paul was engaged in an honorable business. In his day, he was probably chased from place to place as vigorously as the Chicago business magnate. The elder adventurer ended up by having his head cut off at Rome. Without drawing any unwholesome and unjustified parallel between the two men, the latter-day character might just as well give up and face the axe. He will get it sooner or later.

In less than a half-day, the House of Representatives cleared its slate of three measures of considerable significance. By the provisions of one of them, the Philippine Islands will have their freedom in ten years, a gentle but guiding hand being kept on them in the meantime. Under a second of the bills, silver gets a show, and by the third production of cotton is limited. It is fashionable to consider the Washington legislators as time-wasters, but current events indicate that Congress can get down to business in a hurry, if it is convinced that there is occasion for doing so. Generally stated, constituents generally make a mistake in assuming that their Representatives are on a care-free picnic while the House is in session.

Two Americans have been arrested abroad for collecting in one country, secret information to be turned over to another. During the Revolution, Nathan Hale visited a British camp on Long Island, in disguise, was captured, hanged by the British, and had numerous statues erected by the Americans, to his memory as a patriot. Major Andre reversed the process, suffered the American noose, and received burial and a laudatory tablet in Westminster Abbey. What happened to Edith Cavell during the World War is recalled by all. There is one good thing about the spy business. The spy is sure to be praised by someone.

Over in Germany, doctors are advised to handle their patients according to their value to the country, a plan which lays an increased load on an already overburdened profession. In addition to recognizing the disease and selecting the proper remedy, the physician must also decide whether or not an infant looks as though he might make a good president or traffic cop, and govern himself accordingly. Considering the inauspicious beginnings of many who have turned out to be fit to hold high places in the land of the free, American doctors will be likely to give all an equal chance, and let Time do the weeding-out.

A Washington law suit had to be put off three times because one of the parties broke his ankle twice, his attorny suffering a like disaster. The lawyer on the other side probably is more convinced than ever that the case does not have a leg to stand on.

If any schoolboy were asked who was the first President of the United States, he would give the customary answer promptly and without fear of contradiction. Hair-splitting historians, however, are not so sure about the matter. Although George Washington was the first President under the Constitution, the government of the land had a head before Washington's time. Prior to the adoption of the Constitution, the Continental Congress met and transacted business for several years. Its presiding officer was called the President of the Congress. Fashions in history change, like other fashions, and the list of Presidents some day may be lengthened by the insertion at the top, of such names as Thomas McKean, John Hansom, Thomas Mifflin, and several others, all of which have no meaning at the present day.

ELOPE FROM POOR FARM, THEN RETURN

Lafayette, Ga.—For 15 years Miss Nancy Wallen lived at the poor farm. About a month ago Claude Ward, 55, moved into the home. Soon Ward offered Miss Wallen his heart and hand and she accepted. Despite attempts of authorities at the home to persuade them otherwise, the couple eloped. Now, after a short honeymoon, they are at the home again, asking to be taken back permanently. Their case comes before the next meeting of the county commissioners.

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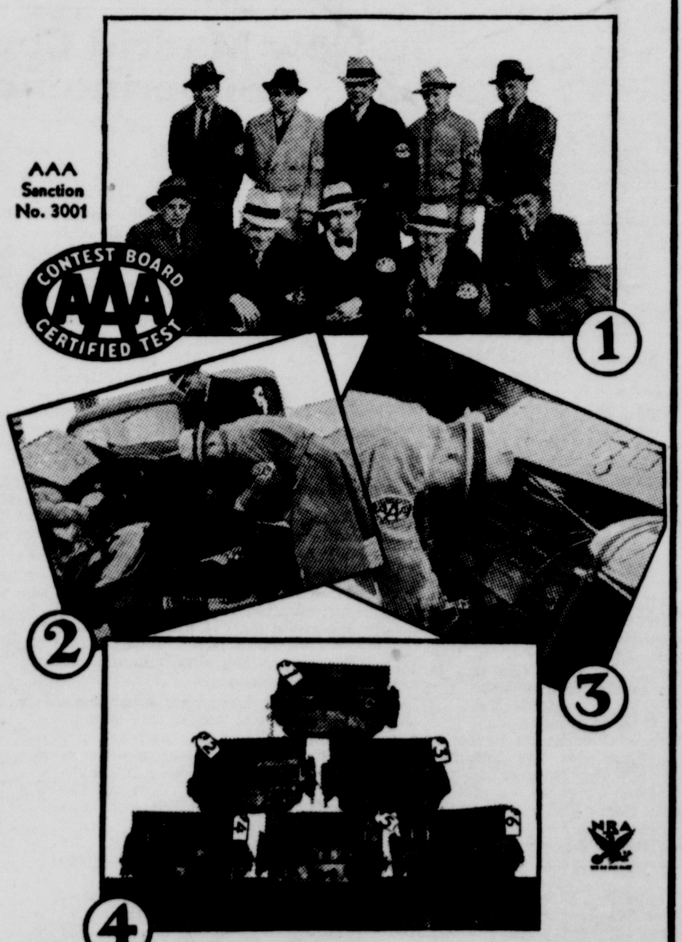

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By Foust Roper

Washington, March 30.—The grasping hand of New York gangdom extends westward to affect even the prices Missouri farmers get for their chickens, according to Representative Clarence Cannon.

The Elsberry legislator, acting on complaints from farmers' cooperatives in several Missouri towns, has introduced a bill to amend the packers and stockyards act of 1921, making poultry and poultry dealers subject to the same government regulations as livestock and its dealers.

Most Missouri fowls are shipped to the New York market, which, investigation has shown, is controlled hand and foot by Gotham gorillas. Through the dictates of these racketeers, the market charges the extortionate rate of a cent of a pound for handling poultry sent there. In addition there are high charges for feed and incidentals. If firms of the market do not maintain the prescribed rates, a bomb usually makes them see the light.

All these gyps, of course, hammer down the price a Missouri buyer can pay for chickens.

Mr. Cannon believes putting the poultry business under U. S. supervision will materially raise prices. "Which will help the state a lot", he added, "for on an average Missouri farm the income from poultry supplies the family table and furnishes the family wardrobe".

Aside from keeping the government out of business, waltzing is perhaps dearest to Congressman Joe Shannon's heart. He complains the waltz is a lost art and is very proud of his own ability at that particular step. Some of his congressional friends call him the "waltz king".

The 67-year-old representative never runs down. He dances every dance during a long evening while younger males look on with mingled damiration and envy. He was in exceptional top form at the recent dinner dance here for members of the Stephens College annual tour.

Better Farm Loans

A bill to give the farmer a much better break on his borrowing has been introduced by Representative Duncan. If it is passed you will be allowed 70 per cent instead of the previous 50 of the normal value of your land and may borrow 40 per cent instead of a mere 20 on your perma- Duncan has long been irked by the Dunca has long been irked by the low basis of lending on farm lands and improvement compared to loans of as high as 80 per cent on homes.

Reforming

Speaking of farm credit, Congressman Milligan's proposed investigation of the St. Louis land bank is having a decidedly elevating influence. The boys who run the St. Looey joint are loosening up rather somewhat and making a few loans.

Congressmen are expressing grave fears about the good ship CWA. An overload of Republicans is kicking holes in its sides from within. Throughout Missouri, as elsewher, the solons say you find GOPartisans directing the course of the huge craft.

The representatives laud the administration's idea of leaning backward on the partisanship proposition but rightly point out that it is being carried too far. As one disgustedly said: "It's reached the point where if a Republican is given a good CWA job, that's serving the interests of the people; if a Democrat is given one, that's politics".

The administration is holding the sack in that the Republicans cannot lose, regardless of the ultimate outcome. If the project does a flopola, they can ridicule it as a Democratic measure. If it clicks, in spite of their hammering, they can explain its success by the great number of Reupblicans who directed its activities.

From down in the street under my window at the Cairo the other evening came sounds of a quartet indulging in "Sweet Adeline". That—and the smug assurance of the weather observers—makes one feel safe in saying Spring is here.

Spring in Washington means cherry blossom time, one of the truly beautiful sights of the world. A special fete is being planned this year to mark the occasion and if you are even vaguely thinking of visiting the capital, by all means set your trip within the next few weeks in order that you may view this grand spectacle.

All of which has pretty little to do with politics—but who cares? Spring is here!

The reason you didn't see Congressman Clyde Williams' vote recorded on the bonus question is because he has been confined to his home with a severe cold for the last three weeks. He would have voted FOR payment, had he been presnt . . . Negros constitute one-half of Washington's population . . . Rperesentative Ruffin always uses a cigarette holder . . Meetings of the senate finance committee keep Senator Clark busy nowadays . . . In Elsberry last December, Representative Cannon received 11 cents for eggs from his farm . . . When he and his family arrived here for the session, they paid 44 cents a dozen . . . Height-of-something-or-other: A liquor store here held a fire sale!

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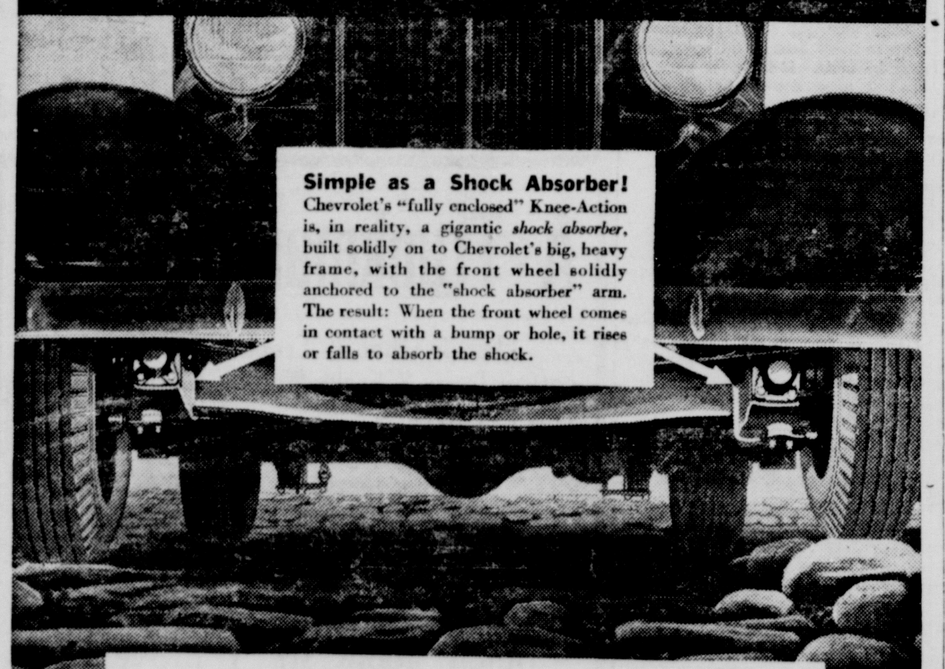

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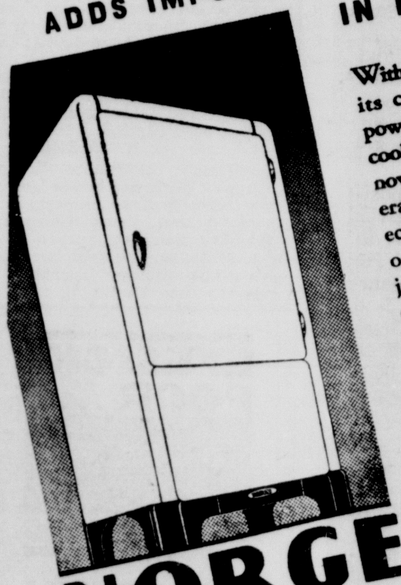

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We've just been looking over the two most recent issues of The Sikeston Standard, perhaps a bit enviously. Last Friday's issue consisted of twelve pages and Tuesday's of this week had eight, all of them eight-column pages and therefore much larger than our own. And each issue was well-filled with local advertising—we should say considerably more than 60 per cent of the space. We would not draw any "invidious comparisons" as to the business acumen of the Sikeston merchants and those of Caruthersville, but it strikes us that the business men in the Scott County town know what they want and how to get it. Business conditions may be more lively and brisk there than here; there may be more money in circulation and therefore more incentive for merchants to advertise there. But we know one thing: So long as merchants in any city sit or stand about their stores and merely HOPE somebody will come in and spend money with them they are likely to be disappointed. Modern business is not carried on that way any more, for people go to that firm and to that town where they are invited to spend their money and where sufficient interest is shown in inducing them to come to impress them that their business is appreciated. Where value for their money can he had and the fact is shown by a presentation of the articles of merchandise and the price to be charged for it is where people naturally turn. Were you never invited to your neighbor's home you would not intrude upon him with your presence and the merchant who does not invite people to his store need not be surprised if people do not come to see him. There is no better method of extending such invitations nor more sure way to secure the attention of the public than through one's local newspapers. Sikeston merchants evidently have grasped the truth of this situation; there is no doubt they find it pays them dividends to do so.—Caruthersville Democrat.

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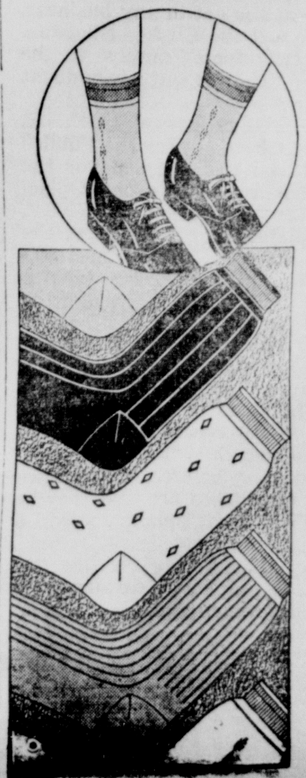

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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581, Local Reporter

Miss Clara Trousdale of St. Louis spent the week-end with her mother in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wilson and son, T., drove down from Jefferson City Friday and will return Tuesday.

Ben Blanton and Lee Dodson of St. Louis spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blanton.

Mrs. W. H. Bess and daughter, Miss Marilyn, of Poplar Bluff, spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Elmer Moore and family, near Benton. Enroute home they visited at the Wayne Bess home in this city.

Murray Jones spent the week-end in Sikeston with his wife, and her mother and sister, Mrs. Putnam and Miss Lillian Putnam. Mrs. Jones accompanied him to St. Louis Monday morning where she will visit several days with her sister, Mrs. Sid Hitchings, while Mr. Jones went to Des Moines, Ia.

A letter received this morning by Mrs. Leslie Garrison from Rev. Garrison stated that he had 40 additions to the church Sunday, making a total of 55 to date. Rev. Garrison is conducting a revival in the Carondelet Baptist church in St. Louis, of which Rev. Wiggers is pastor, and is being assisted by Frank Adams of Paragould, Ark., who has charge of the singing. The meeting will continue through this next week, closing Sunday.

Last Saturday evening, Mrs. Eva Ramsey was tendered a birthday surprise by friends and neighbors. Although Mrs. Ramsey's birthday did not occur until Sunday, and while she was away at town doing her shopping, all gathered at her home on that evening with their gifts, to wish her many happy returns. Among the gifts was a birthday cake with 63 lighted candles. Those present were: Mrs. Delia Engram, Mrs. Harry Camden, Mrs. Etna Brown, Mrs. Madie Rankin, Mrs. Ada Taylor, Mrs. Olgha Potts, Mrs. Myrtle Heath, Mrs Edna Mae Kirby, Mrs. Ruth Pool, Mrs. Geo. Hutchinson, Mrs. Mary Bond, Mrs. Cleve McCann, Mrs. Sallie Matthews, Miss Imogene Matthews, Miss Gurnnell Taylor, Zada Matthews, Betty Brown and Ardeth Kirby.

Y. W. A. TO MEET TONIGHT

The regular meeting of the Y. W. A. of the local Baptist church will be held at the home of Miss Hontas Lee on South Kingshighway Tuesday evening, April 3. Every member urged to be present.

CAPE DOCTORS TO MEET

The Cape Girardeau County Medical Society will invite other physicians of Southeast Missouri to attend a monthly dinner meeting of that association which will be held April 9 at the Hotel Marquette in Cape Girardeau. Dr. Jean Cooke, a St. Louis child specialist, will be the principal speaker.

BINGO PARTY

The regular bingo party will be held Wednesday afternoon in the school hall and the ladies are cordially invited.

This year is one of confusion. Sunday was both Easter and April Fool's Day, and because of that may have caused some difficulty among churchgoers and pranksters. Because he was so harried with inquiries about the matter an employe of the naval almanac office in Washigton discovered by figuring, other years on which this duplication occurred. He found that in 1804, 1866, 1877, 1888, and 1923 Easter and April Fool fell o the same day.

This year had aother curious coincidence. According to legend the birds mate on St. Valentine's day. But since that day fell on Ash Wednesday, how could they?

Our old friend J. Kelly Pool, editor of the Capital City News is too old to be postmaster, according to the ruling of the postal department, but here is the way he is still able and inclined to hand it to a bevy of girls who visited his city recently: "If you are asking us, the 'Green Peppers' from the William Woods College, Fulton, were the cynosure of all eyes, the stellar attraction and the deluxe feature of the opening night of Jefferson City's fashion show. As a drum and bugle corps, they are lovesome beauties destined to be musical joys forever". Is he being his age?—Doniphan Prospect-News.

Oregon University is planning to produce "heavy water" on a big scale soon. From six quarts to two gallons of the heavy water can be extracted from the 10,000 gallon water tank they are installing.

The production of briar root for smoking pipes dates back to 1860 when a French firm found it to be of excellent quality for that purpose.

SLIMMING DIET

Here is another of the weight reducing menus prepared for this paper by Dr. Shirley W. Wynne, Commissioner of Health of New York City.

Adjust the diet to your needs by taking smaller or larger portions of the food indicated in plain type. Do not change the quantities of the foods in bold face type. These are the protective foods, and must be taken as indicated.

BREAKFAST

	Calories
1 small glass tomato juice	50
Breakfast cereal (1 tsp. sugar, 1/2 glass milk)	175
Coffee (milk instead of cream, no sugar)	35

LUNCH

Salad (3 tablespoons cottage cheese, 1/2 cup cole slaw, watercress)	100
1/2 slice bread, or 1/2 roll	50
1 cup fresh berries (1/4 glass milk, no sugar)	125
1 glass of milk	150

DINNER

1/2 cup unthickened cream of tomato soup	100
Medium serving of filet of sole (with lemon)	250
1/2 cup spinach	25
1/2 baked potato	50
1/4 cup fruit salad (1/2 tablespoon French dressing)	100
Ice tea (lemon, no sugar)	

Don't try to reduce too fast. A quarter of a pound a day is enough.

Alimony: The back-payments on dead love. The punishment for having stopped loving a woman, whom you never should have begun loving.

New Meat Loaves Afford Variety

VARIETY IS one of the pleasant things of life, and a juicy meat loaf is another. The meat loaf is an economical dish that always meets with the hearty approval of a whole family. Then, too, it is possible to cook almost the entire dinner in the oven, thereby reducing the amount of time and fuel required. But everyone grows tired of her favorite recipe at some time or other, and begins to cast about for other suggestions. To the woman on the lookout for new and delightful changes, these different and unusual meat loaves will be a find.

By JOSEPHINE GIBSON
Director, Heinz Food Institute

Individual Stuffed Meat Loaves—[illegible] ground together 2 pounds [illegible] and 1 pound fresh pork. Add [illegible] teaspoons salt, a generous dash of pepper, 2 eggs, slightly beaten, 1 small onion, chopped fine, and ½ cup milk. Add 2 cups Rice Flakes. Mix well, then add ⅓ cup Tomato Ketchup and 1 teaspoon Worcestershire Sauce. To form the individual meat loaves, wrap some of the meat mixture around half a hard cooked egg. Be sure the egg is well covered with the meat mixture. Place the little loaves in a baking pan, cover each with a half strip of bacon, if you wish, and bake, uncovered, in a moderately hot oven (400° F.) for ¾ hour, basting as needed, with a few tablespoons water. (Peeled potatoes may be baked around them in the pan, if you wish.) This recipe makes enough for two meals.

Vegetable Meat Loaf—To 2 pounds ground beef—or 1 pound ground beef and 1 pound ground pork—add 1 egg, ¼ cup chopped onion, 1½ teaspoons salt, a dash of pepper, 2 cups Rice Flakes and 1 medium can Vegetable Soup. Mix all these ingredients thoroughly, form into one large loaf or two smaller ones, and place in a well greased roaster. Sprinkle lightly with flour and sear in a hot oven 425° F.) until slightly brown. Pour ½ cup water around the roll, cover, and continue baking in a moderately hot oven (about 400° F.) for 1 hour. Uncover and rebrown slightly. If liquid evaporates, add ¼ to ½ cup more water, as needed.

Ham Loaf—Have ground together twice, 1 pound raw cured ham and ½ pound fresh pork. Add 2 cups Rice Flakes, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire Sauce, 1 egg, ¾ cup milk and a dash of pepper, and mix thoroughly. Pat into a loaf, place in a greased roaster and sprinkle with flour. Sear in a hot oven (500° F.) until brown. Pour ½ cup water around loaf, cover and continue cooking in a moderate oven (375° F.) for 1 hour. After first half hour, place white or sweet potatoes around roll, if desired, or place slices of pineapple over top of loaf and allow to brown delicately.

Refrigerator Meat Loaf—Grind 2½ cups cold cooked veal or pork and ½ cup Sweet Mustard Pickle together finely. Add ¾ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper and 4 tablespoons melted butter. Blend thoroughly and pack firmly into a pan lined with waxed paper. Place overnight in refrigerator. Slice thinly and make into sandwiches, using whole wheat bread, and placing a lettuce leaf in each sandwich. Slices of tomato may also be added, if desired.

Somerville Meat Loaf—Have 2 pounds of beef ground with ¼ cup suet. Add 1 small onion, minced, 2 cups soft bread crumbs, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon Evaporated Horseradish which has been soaked in 1 tablespoon cold water for 10 minutes, 1 teaspoon Prepared Mustard, 4 tablespoons minced green pepper and 2 teaspoons Worcestershire Sauce. Mix all these ingredients thoroughly and pack into a greased baking pan. Pour over top ½ cup Tomato Ketchup and bake in a hot oven (about 400° F.) for 1¼ hours. (Either fresh beef or left-over beef may be used. If left-over meat is used it need not be baked quite so long.)

More good news. The Mayo Clinic tells you that your own body is a "germicide factory". All through the body, germ-killing chemicals are manufactured, dealing with deep-seated troubles that could not be reached from the outside and would cause death. The Mayo scientists believe that a diet, properly regulated, would stimulate these germicide products, diminish disease and prolong life. We are fearfully and wonderfully made, and, in addition to praising the Lord, which we should do, we have still many things to learn about ourselves. The natural, home-made product that fights your diseases more effectively than any doctor or medicine, is betaoxybutyric acid.—Arthur Brisbane.

Isaac Helwanger still believes, after noticing things for all these years, that there is a reason for everything, until he saw a bird zled to know exactly how pig tracks could be of any benefit to anybody ,until he saw a bird drinking water out of one of them. —Commercial Appeal.

Berlin claims the biggest subway station in the world. The new Kottbuser Tor station is 394 feet long and has a platform more than 36 feet wide.

Custom forbids women of the better class to be seen in public in La Paz, Bolivia, except under the most circumspect conditions.

There ae upwards of 100 coffee planters in Sao Paulo, Brazil, whose incomes are estimated to be at least $50,000 a year.

U. S. Royal Tires

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This Budget Plan makes it easy for you to have the safest, longest wearing tires built.

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L. T. DAVEY
Front Street

OUR POSITION

The Sikeston Democratic Club is urging every Democrat in Sikeston to support the candidacy for Dr. G. W. Presnell for Mayor. The reasons outlined below are self-explanatory. If they meet with your approval, we conscientiously urge you to cast your ballot i support of the candidate which this Club encouraged to enter in this race.

Dr. Presnell became a candidate for this office at the urgent appeal of his friends and business associates who feel that they need a man of his type to better represent Sikeston as its Mayor. His democracy is unquestioned and we have his promise that the appointive jobs will at least be equally divided between the Democrats and Republicans instead of the majority going to the Republicans. He has given us his promise that he will in no way interfere with the nonpartisanship of the Board of Public Works. His opponent is circulating the story that if Dr. Presnell is elected he will make a political plaything out of the Board of Public Works. The ordinance prohibits this and Dr. Presell in a signed statement to the press has already explained his views on this matter.

Why his opponent, if desirous of conducting his campaign in a truthful manner, should cast insinuations that Dr. Presnell is not desirous of maintaining the Board of Public Works and the light plant on a profitable basis for the City is beyond any thoughtful man's conception of truthfulness, inasmuch as Dr. Presnell was the third largest contributor of cash toward the expenses of promoting the successful bond issue for the construction of this municipal enterprise. That is the reason why he was proposed as a member of the Board of Public Works when it was first created.

We have Dr. Presnell's promise that if elected Mayor the cost of the special election to select his successor as Alderman from Ward 3 will be defrayed out of his private pocket and will not cost the City of Sikeston one cent. Dr. Presnell is not in any business, therefore he has nothing to sell the City of Sikeston. Dr. Presnell will not allow two of his family to be placed on the City payroll as the present incumbent now has.

Now, in answer to the circulars passed by N. E. Fuchs, in reference to the one headed "For the Public" he says that during his administration as Mayor the following improvements have been made without placing any added burden on the tax payers:

He gives himself credit for the extensions to the sanitary and storm sewer systems totallig some $9,309.05, but fails to give the National Democratic Administration credit for the aid it rendered through the CWA project. The filteration plant and additions to water systems, $26,836.22 means that it will be that much longer before your water rates can be reduced, inasmuch as no expenditure of money can be made without that money coming from some place.

Canpital investment, in reference to the Municipal Light Plant, $182,000 of which there are bonds issued and the sinking fund must be created to retire these bonds at maturity. Our hopes are that they be retired out of earnings of the light plant, provided that the future administrations do not do as the present administration has done, by taking for the year 1933 $10,540.30 from the light plant's earnings and turning it into the general revenue fund.

He gives the administration credit for extending Malone Avenue. I, personally, as president of the Sikeston Democratic Club, paid a tax bill against my property on Malone Avenue to defray my part of this paving. I presume that everey other property owner on Malone Avenue defrayed their proportionate part, also. He takes credit for the increase in population of 2000 inhabitants. What a man!

He assumes that he should be held responsible for the decrease in real and personal property assessments. We desire to notify the public that at the present time the State Tax Commission is responsible for every valuation reduction made. That the city officials, regardless of who they are or may be, have no control whtsoever over this factor. However, we do not blame him for assuming credit if it will go uncontested.

He says that the credit standing of this city is such that it is impossible to purchase any of its outstanding bonds in the open market. We are not bond merchants, therefore cannot answer this question, but we do know that to conduct satisfactory business it has been necessary since the first of January to borrow on a general revenue bond $10,000 from the Bank of Sikeston in addition to, by legal force, dismissing its obligation to the Board of Public Works for street lighting, city hall lighting and pumping expenses to the amount of the above mentioned $10,450.30. Thus the present mayor has not held the expendtiures of the City of Sikeston through its general revenue fund to within at least $20,540.30 of its income, and with possibly bills pyable of an unkown quanity still out, which appears to us that he has not made such a great success of the business management of the City's affairs.

Mayor Fuchs says that he is against any proposition that will tend to create factionalism, so he gives the pick of the appointive jobs to the Republicans, in order that he may keep the City out of politics. He says that he has been charged with not being a Democrat. In looking through our roster we fail to find where he is enlisted as a member of the Sikeston Democratic Club. It seems to us that if he were such a staunch Democrt as he claims, he would at least be a member of the organization that now has 940 Democratic members in this city.

In his second circular entitled "Statement", he makes no effort to deny the fact that the figures submitted by the Presnell for Mayor Club were correct, but says why didn't they take the term 30 to 32 in which another lumber company furnished all the material for the new light plant. He also fails to mention that the reason Robinson Lumber Comuany did not supply the material was because the contract was not a direct contract with the city but was sub-let through Fairbanks-Morse Company to the contractor, inasmuch as the City did not have the purchasing of this material direct another concern received this contract.

Mayor Fuchs says that he is very anxious to be re-elected Mayor. Beyond the question of a doubt his his present employer, The Robinson Lumber Company, his son and his nephew are anxious that he be re-elected for who would not be glad to receive city warrants that are payable at par?

C. L. BLANTON, Jr., President
Sikeston Democratic Club

March 15th, 1934

NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF THE SIKESTON TRUST COMPANY OF SIKESTON, MISSOURI

All persons who may have claims against the Sikeston Trust Company of Sikeston, Missouri, are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned and make proper proof thereof within four months from the above date at the banking room of said bank in Sikeston, Missouri, and they are further notified that the last date for presenting said proofs will be Monday, July 16, 1934.

O. H. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Finance of the State of Missouri, in charge of the business and property of said Sikeston Trust Company, Sikeston, Missouri.
By J. S. Wallace, Special Deputy Commissioner in charge.
Friday to June 15, '34

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ROSE BUSHES
3 for $1
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Try CLASSIFIED

FOR RENT—5-room house, furnished. See Talley C. Sams at O. K. Barber Shop. tf-53.

FOR SALE—R. I. Red baby chicks, April 9th at $6.50 per hundred. Good used incubators.—Mrs. Morris Walker, Bertrand, Mo. 1tpd.-53

FOR RENT—Modern, furnished room for sleeping or light housekeeping for couple.—307 Scott St., phone 558w. tf.-53.

FOR SALE—Stonesville planting cotton seed.—Joe Crouthers, Sikeston, R3, box 60. Phone 3420. tf-53

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished apartment, at least 3 rooms on ground floor. Call 360. 2t-53

FOR SALE—Good second hand Kimball piano, in fine condition, also Singer and New Royal second hand, 'tho almost new, sewing machines, depression prices and easy terms.—A. E. Shankle, 224 W. Center St. 4t-52.

WANTED—Good Jersey cow. Call 317. tf-52.

FOR SALE—No. 1 Koran Lespedeza, dodder free, no weed, 5c per lb., f. o. b. Gallatin, Tenn.—L. A. Green. 6tpd-51.

FOR SALE—Good used electric ranges at a bargain. See us before buying.—Sikeston Commission Co., opposite Bank of Sikeston. tf-38.

HAY FOR SALE—Choice pea hay, baled.—E. F. Frey, 2 miles east of McMullin. tf.-43.

FOR EXCHANGE—12-room hotel with confectionery and beer. Will trade for Southeast Missouri land. Call at Sikeston Commission Co., Sikeston. See L. O. Gnadt. tf-47.

FOR HAND LAUNDRY call Mrs. Elnora Jones, phone 520w. Will call for and deliver. tf-49.

ROOMS and BOARD—$5.00 per week. 1 block from business district.—302 Trotter St., phone 409. tf-49.

A Truckman Says:

Here is what a Truckman, who hauls cotton from Charleston to Caruthersville, said last week—

"I was trading with another station and decided to try *Simpson's Premium Gasoline* as I had heard so much about it. I drove to your station and filled my truck. Imagine my surprise when I found I got about four miles more to the gallon with **Simpson's Premium Gasoline** over the other brand. Naturally that is the gas I am using."

This is an actual occurence, and we will furnish this gentleman's name on request. Fill up at any of our pumps and stations and see for yourself.

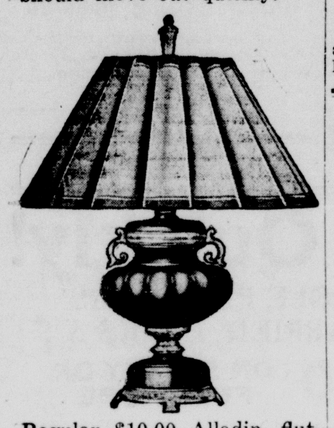
Simpson Oil Company
Headquarters for Motoring Satisfaction

Special Sale

Aladdin ELECTRIC LAMPS

The word "Aladdin" on an electric lamp is sufficient guarantee of style and beauty.

We have on hand thirty or forty very, very pretty ALADDINS that are specially priced. As housecleaning is just ahead such values should move out quickly.



Regular $10.00 Alladin, fluted whipolite shades, white, green or amber

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An Aladdin Beauty, artistic, graceful, regular $7.50 for

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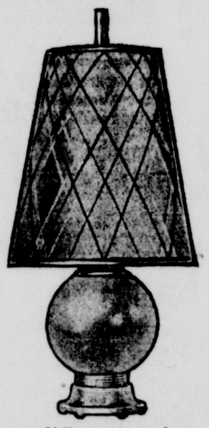

New, different, beautiful, quaintly shaped. Regular $7.50 for

$5.00

Dainty boudoirs in white, amber, rose, orchid or blue. Only Aladdin makes such style, regular $2.50 each, special

$1.95

LAMP SHADE SPECIALS

100 of them. We've never had any value like this before.

Two lots of them.

One Lot—Choice for 49c

One Lot—Choice for 79c

Make your old lamp look new at trifling cost.

Better get in on these early.

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NOTICE—FOR SALE

Have five or six tracts of frontage on the North Kingshighway concrete ro adlying south of the Self Filling Station, which are the best lot bargains in the city limits.

Have one choice business location on U. S. Highway 61. 400 feet north of the intersection of Tanner Street to U. S. H. 61, also a number of one to ten acres tract in a subdivided tract just east of U. S. H. 61 and North of the Mo. Pacific R. R. adjoining the city limits.

Have some buyers for a few small 4 or 5 room houses at reasonable prices, would be pleased to hear from owners wanting to sell.

Also have all kinds of good farm bargains to sell at the lowest price in the history of this or any other county where good land is to be had.

E. J. KEITH

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hitchcock and daughter, Mary An, were in New Madrid Sunday afternoon.

CAN YOU IMAGINE!

CAN YOU IMAGINE — the delight of the man in Louisville, Ky., who, after suffering from stomach disorders for 15 yrs., gained 13¾ lbs. in two months by using BISMA-REX! He never felt better and now enjoys three square meals a day.

EXPLANATION

Bisma-Rex is a new antacid treatment that is bringing welcome relief to thousands everywhere who suffer the agonies of indigestion and other acid stomach ailments. Bisma-Rex acts four ways to give lasting relief i three minutes. It neutralizes excess acid; relieves the stomach of gas; soothes the irritated membranes; and aids digestion of foods most likely to ferment. Bisma-Rex is sold only at Rexall Drug Stores. Get a jar today at Malone's Drug Store.

WANTED

. . . every man, woman and youth to know that unemployment is due to a lack of spiritual progress. Millions have advanced far enough to be doing metaphysical work, which should no longer be perverted or neglected.

Intelligent persons should not hold to positions outgrown. By doing so they block progress and create idleness. Energy should not be sterilized. It should be imbued with spiritual law, for the sake of a wiser manhood and a more noble womanhood.

Those who have had the experience of raising a family, and all who are to enjoy this blessed privilege, may learn spiritual law, in which there are openings higher up in the line of success. A position that has served its good ends for individual preparation, should be vacated to give someone else a chance, in democratic order Higher positions are being revealed and should be accepted lest we stultify humanity.

In the realm of the real new positions of employment are opening, which many are expecting to fill in heaven that should be filled on earth here and now. The vision of the prophets is being repeated on a world-wide scale. They foresaw the Christ and foretold of his coming, and of the resultant advancement in fulfillment of promise.

To prepare humanity for this, Christianity revealed new ideas, and Christian civilization has established the English language, democracy, the United States of America, free schools, rubber, oil, and air ages and now that the Gospel has been preached to all nations, the 'Spirit of truth' which Jesus promised is presented in my TREATISE ON SPIRITUAL LAW.

The great World War, the shameful religious conflict in the political campaign of 1928, the crash of 1929, the depression, were all devinely directed as evidences of God's chastening love, to place mankind in a receptive mood. This is why the President's ideas have been readily accepted. He is applying spiritual law politically. It should also be applied socially and in business to make this a law-abiding nation, reproducing, subduing, controlling, not only in the name but in the nature of Christ.

Every person in any position of authority, in any business or profession, and especially all who are engaged in writing, publishing, teaching, and law-enforcement, should send for my TREATISE ON SPIRITUAL LAW. Postpaid on receipt of $1. Many who have read it volunteer the endorsement of the highest import to present and future generations. Every dollar received will be used to publish and extend a knowledge of the practical utility of spiritual law. -1.

ENOS ELI SUTHERLAND
Box 316, Gardner, Mass.

SPRING HOUSE-CLEANING TIME

When spring comes round each year our thoughts just automatically turn to house-cleaning. Not the back-breaking, nerve-wracking, disposition ruing house-cleaning of other days but a pretty thorough cleaning for all that. An extra polish on the silver, a higher burnish on the copper and an extra gleam on the window panes.

Speaking of copper and window panes, we have just discovered a grand way to brighten both of these articles. A paste of vinegar and salt, vigorously applied, removes every vestige of the green tarnish that persists in clinging to copper. Then a brisk application of metal polish and a final rubbing with oil to stop the action of the acid on the metal makes the copper shine as brgihtly as the day it was made. And for an extra special gleam on the window panes try polishing them off with a chamois and then with soft paper.

But to get back to this thorough cleaning: We suggest that you take an inventory of your cleaning equipment, being sure to have plenty of large soft cloths, a wall brush, an oiled floor mop, soap and water. Be sure the vacuum cleaner is in good running order and that all the attachments function as they should. Then begin.

Go about the thing systematically. Take it a room at a time. We always begin with the dusting of small objects which are carefully put away and then the fun begins. The next stop is to dust the walls with a wall brush, beginning at the ceiling and brushing down. Then vacuum the rugs and upholstered furniture. Carefully clean the draperies with the proper attachment, fold them and store them away. Wash the woodwork with one of those cleaning compounds and a barely damp cloth, wipe it off with a cloth wrung out of clear water, and then stand back for a moment and notice the dazzling cleanliness.

Next attack the floors. If they need it wash them carefully. Long-handled mops are available for this task. Then wax them with one of the quick-drying liquid waxes, being sure that the floor is completely dry before you start.

Now you are ready to turn your attention to the furniture. All furniture revives miraculously after a soap and water bath. Use a warm suds and a cloth that has been wrung almost dry, wipe off with a cloth wrung from clear water, dry with a lintless cloth, and then polish with your favorite furniture polish.

Next attack the windows and when they fairly sparkle hang up fresh curtains. Rearrange the furniture, quickly dust the objects that you put away when you started to clean, and you are ready to heave a sigh of relief, pause awhile to admire your handiwork and proceed to the next room.

This all sounds pretty strenuous, but it isn't nearly so bad as it sounds, and the house looks so fresh and springlike when you've finished that it's worth it.

PUBLIC ACCIDENTS

In its annual report of public accidents for 1932 (the 1933 report not yet being available) the Missouri State Board of Health states that drowning and firearms accidents totaled 291 as compared with 275 for the year previous. Deaths caused by venimous animals in 1932 were 3 as compared with 5 for the 1931 report.

Accidental deaths of all types totaled 3459 for 1932 as compared with 3715 for 1931, a decrease of 256. The greatest number of accidental deaths were caused by falls and automobiles. While there were some 2500 persons in a small deer hunting area during the three-day open season in 1933, no fatalities were reported.

Garden Time Is Here

We have a new stock of Bulk Garden Seeds and a car of Darling's Fertilizer for Garden and Field crops.

Don't forget we do Public Weighing. Our scales are accurate and we can weigh up to 13 tons.

Bring in your scrap iron. We pay in cash the Sikeston market price.

SIKESTON COAL COMPANY

Otis Fahrenkopf
Manager

OUT OF DOORS NEWS BRIEFS

Remote sections of Marvel Cave in Stone county were explored recently by a small group of Drury College students. The cave is reputed to be sixteen million years old.

Conservation workers near Cassville located in Roaring River State Park, have recently discovered two new caves in the park property. One of the caverns has been explored for a distance of several hundred feet. Two large rooms have been found with interesting rock formations. Each cave has much to offer in stalagmitic or stalactitic formations which intrigue the imagination.

Indian Mounds rich in product of aboriginal art have been found near Easley on the Missouri River, twenty-five miles southeast of Columbia, Boone County.

A 90-acre park has been completed just west of the city limits of Warsaw, Benton County, on the north bank of the Osage River. Several thousand feet of roadways and nature trails have been constructed as well as camping facilities, such as dutch ovens and tables, provided. CWA funds were utilized in the work. The park is the site of former Indian camp grounds and the area is rich in Indian lore. Historic Kaysinger Bluff has been landscaped. CWA and emergency workers have given many cities of the State an opportunity to build parks, improve water areas and other recreational advantages.

Anglers report crawfiish the ideal bait for early bank and boat fishing now.

Burnt areas are shunned by most bird life, so care with fire in our outdoors is important. Most people seem to believe that running fires in the spring are beneficial, that they clean up the country. The consequences become a common burden, yet the practice continues. The fact is that fires do not create, they destroy. The practice of setting them is responsible for most of the treeless wastes, described in the legthening lists of tax delinquent lands, that everybody pays for. Tree growth is absolutely essential to any game program.

Limit catches of crappie are reported from below the Bagnell Dam on the Osage River. White Bass are also reported to be running below the big dam.

Tipton produce dealers have received orders for several thousand more live rabbits to be sent to New York for propagation purposes. During December and January 9000 live bunnies were shipped east from Moniteau and Cooper counties.

This Week in Naval History

1917—Aztec, American Armed ship, sunk in submarine zone.

April 2, 1781—U. S. S. Alliance captured British Privateers Mars and Minerva off coast of France.

April 3, 1813—U. S. S. Constitution cleared and escaped from British squadron off Marblehead, Mass.

April 4, 1776—U. S. S. Cabot captured British Ship Hawk (First ship captured by our Navy).

April 5, 1776—Colonial Ship Hornet captured H. M. S. Bolton off Block Island.

1831—Treaty of Mexico arranged.

1917—American steamer Missourian sunk in Mediterranean.

April 6. 1779—U. S. Force of three vessels captured seven out of nine enemy vessels and manned them all in four hours. A British Colonel and 23 British Army officers among prisoners captured, they were on way to join regiments in the south.

1909—The North Pole was discovered and reached by Robert E. Peary, U. S. Navy.

1917—Congress declared a state of war as already in existence on account of the hostile acts of Germany.

April 7, 1863—Naval attacks on Fort Sumter and on Forts at Charleston, S. C.

FARMER'S WIT TRUMPED

Someone always manages to make the most of a dull situation. Nelson Walker, a Clatonia, Nebraska, farmer, in making out his corn-hog contract application, assiduously noted facts and details throughout the length of the questionnaire. Finally, he came upon the request for information regarding the number of pigs which had died. "Twenty hogs died", he wrote, "and went to heaven".

An allotment committee official was not to be outdone. He added a memorandum to the application and returned it. His note said: "Record of hogs' death accepted, but contract returned for more proof of destination of hogs' souls. Please obtain an affidavit from St. Peter so contract can be approved".

Walker is now puzzled.

LEAVES STRANGE WILL

"I also request to be buried as an atheist", stated Lie Pauls, 79 years old, who died recently in Cape Girardeau, in an unusual will executed on October 3, 1933. Pauls, formerly of Bollinger County, engaged in truck gardening and owned four small tracts of real estate.

After bequeathing varying sums to friends and relations, Pauls stipulated that "the balance and remainder of my estate be given by J. H. Boardman to the needy and distressed caused by windstorms, cyclones and tornadoes, as he sees fit to hand it to them, not all in one place, but as they come along, to to be distributed in Missouri and Southern Illinois'."

It is though that little will remain from the estate, valued at approximately $2000, for charity. Boadman, the executor, is a merchant in Illmo.

FARMERS APPEAL FOR AID

Farmers living in the Neelyville section south of Poplar Bluff have asked the federal government to send a trapper to kill wolves in that area. It is said that the wolves are killing many chickens and some small pigs.

The beasts have multiplied since a federal trapper left the section a year ago after staying several months. While there, the trapper killed approximately twenty wolves and fifty bob cats.

A revised bulletin on "Missouri Bird Study for Amateurs" with a pocket list of Missouri birds is now ready for distribution and may be had upon request.

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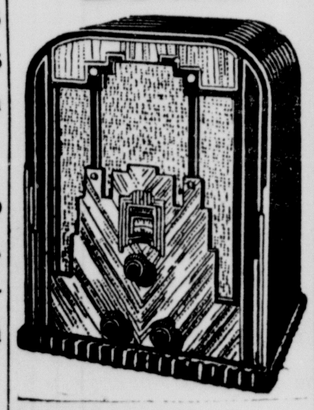

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The community wishes to extend its sympathy to Mrs. Owen Johnson and children, who lost their husband and father in deatn last week.

Mrs. Virginia Thompson and son, Loren, returned to their home at Normal, Ill., Wednesday morning.

Misses Vera and Geneva Tetley, Albert Tetley and Carl Watson visited with Rosell and J. D. Cook, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and son, Joe, shopped in Morehouse, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adcock and children entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon.

Don Tetley of Fairview community spent Tuesday night with Carl Watson.

Mrs. Owen Johnson and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Giske and family, who live south of Canalou.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tetley spent Sunday afternoon visiting in Bufington.

Wayne and John Estill returned to their home in Springfield, Ill., Saturday after a week's stay with their sister, Mrs. Owen Johnson and family.

SALCEDO NEWS

John Patterson has returned from St. Louis, where he has been residing for the past three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tate and family spent a short while with Mr. and Mrs. Ellick Patrick Saturday night.

Ellick Patrick was a visitor in Morehouse, Friday.

Mrs. Marion Darter has returned from Toledo, Ohio, where she has been for the past three months.

Mrs. John Patterson is expected home Sunday from St. Louis, where she has been in a hospital for two months.

Ernest Tate and John Patterson motored to Rector, Ark., last week on business.

On the sick list at this writing is Martha Patrick, who has been ill for some time.

Miss Alene King spent the day with Misses Agnes and Virginia Shoaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tate spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Darter, Sunday.

Rev. Warren filled his regular appointment at New Harmony G. B. Church Sunday and Sunday night.

Warren York of near Miner Switch was a visitor of Rube Shoap Sunday afternoon.

Misses Leona Howe and Veda Paterson were entertained Sunday afternoon by Mrs. Joe Tate and Clarence Cantrell.

Ernest Tate spent a short while with Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Wallace, Sunday night.

SEVENTY-TWO YEARS AGO UNIVERSITY WAS CLOSED

It was seventy-two years ago this week the University of Missouri was discontinued, and classes were called to a halt in order to release the buildings to the Federal soldiers of the Civil War.

It was on March 28, 1862 that the old Academic Hall, which burned in 1892, was occupied by Federal troops that took part in the Civil War. At the time of the war the University buildings numbered four, the main building, the president's home, the astronomical observatory, and the grammar school. The campus was shaded by many forest trees. During their occupation the soldiers killed most of the trees and made an almost barren plain out of what had been an almost natural park. Vandal soldiers badly damaged the buildings, valuable books were taken from the library, and all the geologic discoveries and collections were carried off. Rooms in themain building were used for prisons and many holes were cut in the wall by prisoners in an effort to escape.

At the close of the Civil War the University was re-organized with a faculty of four. And it was through the efforts of President John H. Lathrop, that the University of Missouri was reorganized, reopened and started for the second time to the position it now occupies among the institutions of higher learning in this country.

TO THOSE WHO OWE

By Art L. Walhausen in Poplar Bluff Republican

Of all the professions in the world that of collecting holds the least fascination for me. Which leads to this observation.

That those who contract bills should not only make every effort to pay their obligation, but to actually meet bill collectors with a smile of gratitude.

Silly? Foolish? Impossible?

Possibly the latter, but the first two are far from wrong.

In the first place the person who has extended credit has faith in you and in your ability and WILLINGNESS to pay. He has extended visible goods or services for your convenience at a time when it was to your interest possibly to do so.

But what happens when he drops around to collect for his goods or services one month, two months or a half year later? Not once in fifty times is he so much as thanked, let alone met with a smile. Frowns, short words, "Damn bill collector", "Come back Tuesday", "Of all the times to come in . . . " "Aw heck, I tho't my wife took care of that", "Can't fool with you now", "I told my daughter not to buy that stuff, collect from her but get out of here", "Bills, bills, bills, nothing but bills".

Those are samples of a nice quiet day for a bill collector.

As a matter of fact bills contracted on credit do have a way of climbing and getting just a bit ahead of the schedule. But is that the fault of the young man or woman who is handed a bunch of statements or invoices, and told to bring in the dough?

But the pet gripe of yours truly is the pest who gets sore when he receives a statement of account. "Guess you're afraid you wouldn't get your money, had to send me a dun".

Guys like that get in my hair.

They're just wide enough between the eyes to accommodate a nose, and they're usually vacant from the eyebrows up. Vacant r solid ivory.

Statements—or duns—are a convenience. No first rate business could long continue without them. Through them costs are confirmed, and the record of purchases balanced against available cash. They provide a handy check against error. And after all, a statement is a reminder of your credit standing.

And another thing. I've noticed, and I have not read this in the papers, that the Big Bad Wolf who scowls and frowns before he appends his John Hancock on the check for the benefit of the visiting collector, is the world's worst offender in demanding that accounts due him be paid cheerfully and Johnny on the spot. It never fails.

Once again, every Ghost Walker has had experience with the nuisance who "can't pay just now, come back in about an hour". After four or five such trips the debtor finally gets around to saying, "better drop around again next week".

For Pete's sake, if the money isn't available, say so, it will save your time and no telling how much shoe leather and nervous energy on the part of the collector.

There comes times in most businesses when capital is tied up in stock, in credit, in frozen loans, or in any one of a dozen other operations. In such instances why not tell your bill collector friends to leave the statement blank, and that you'll try to get around to it by the tenth, or the first of next month instead of storming and ranting around—after all that's bad on your own blood pressure and whatever genttmanly instincts the B. C. has left by the time he reaches your place.

It's a great life.

IT IS GARDEN TIME AGAIN

With spring arriving officially last week many people are beginning to get out the garden tools and make plans for their gardens. With this in mind J. W. C. Anderson, Extension Instructor in Horticulture, of the Missouri College of Agriculture advises that the best garden seeds and plants are the cheapest in the long run since the increased yield and quality of the products will more than pay the extra cost of good seeds. The importance of using the best seed and the best plants cannot be emphasized too strongly, according to Prof. Anderson, since it takes just as much time, space, and labor to plant and cultivate half a stand as a full stand.

If the gardener follows the practice of saving his own seed, it should always be selected from the most vigorous and high yielding plants.

If plants are purchased it is advisable to obtain them from a local grower who produces strong vigorous individuals that are free of disease. Plants so grown can be stronger and sturdier, and will not have been subjected to the drying and stunting effects of shipping long distances. In using plants shipped from other parts there's always danger of introducing such diseases as cabbage yellows and others, which may cause loss of the entire crop. Such diseases once started in the garden are almost impossible to stamp out.

If the plants are raised by the garden owner, they should be hardened off by withholding water and exposing them to the outside temperatures a week or ten days before transplanting them into the garden. Bulletins about various crops and about the home garden may be obtained by writing to the Agricultural Editor, Missouri College of Agriculture, Columbia, Mo.

The unemployed of Gardena, Calif., were treated to a baby lobster dinner when a judge ordered 650 pounds of them, confiscated by game wardens, distributed to the jobless.

CODE HAS PRINTERS ON THE SPOT

Newspaper publishers and commercial printers, from top to bottom, are having a few troubles in complying with the NRA codes as well as other tradesmen. And, like most others, they are trying to take the medicine with as little outspoken agony as possible.

Newspapers are being asked by the federal department of agricultur to publish the "hog-corn" lists at a very low rate because sufficient funds are not available. A request from the government is accepted as a command and a publisher hesitates to decline for fear of being branded a chiseler or a person opposed to the recovery program. Then one of the most conspicuous provisions of the graphic arts code, which is a law and must be adhered to the same as any other law, recites that all publishers, big or little, must charge not less than the legal rate established by State law for all notices or publications ordered by any State or federal subdivision.

So the publishers find themselves confronted with a double-barrelled gun, one barrel "requesting" special low rates for certain legal notices, and the other barrel warning that dire punishment awaits those who chisel.

Commercial printers, commonly known as job printers, are expected to toe the mark. Every such printer, whether he employs any additional people or not, must have a price list approved by the code authorities. Three such lists have ben approved and each costs $25. One list is regarded as being much more complete than the others and it will likely get 90 per cent of the orders. The actual cost of the price list may be as much as $5, but commercial printers will pay $25 each for them and since thousands of printers have a bonanza, thanks to the federal command.

These price lists show the fair price that should be charged for every imaginable kind of printing. The code provides that printers must charge not less than the price quoted in the price list and if they charge less, or if they charge the price and then give any kind of rebate or special inducement, they are guilty of violating the law and if reported will have to defend themselves against punishment.

The biggest printing concern and the smallest individual printer must be guided by the approved price list. If a higher price is charged than the list quotes it will be no violation of the provisions.

The theory of such price regulation is that printers and publishers will have a larger income with which to pay higher wages and employ more workmen. Whether this theory will work out successfully awaits to be seen but that all publishers and printers must toe the mark is a conclusion that cannot be questioned.—Cape Missourian.

MAN MAKES IT UP WITH LATENT LOVE

By Helen Rowland

A man doesn't begin dreaming of romance at six or seven, as many a little girl does—but he makes up for it by going right on, at 60 or 70, pursuing sentimental adventures, under the impression that he will catch the Bluebird.

The difference between spending money on a gal, before and after marriage, is, to the average man, very much like the difference between digging for fishing-worms and spading up his wife's flower garden. The first is a sport—the second, just a painful duty.

Brainy girls may have lots of admirers, but they seldom make happy marriages; because the moment a man discovers that his wife's cleverness is beginning to make him look a moron, he starts looking about for something so dumb that she will make him feel like a master mind or an intellectual colossus.

Alimony: The back-payments on dead love. The punishment for having stopped loving a woman, whom you never should have begun loving.

SALESMAN WINS MEDAL

R. T. Boyer of Sikeston, salesman for Starck Brothers nurseries, has received an engraved gold honor medal "as a reward for loyalty and efficient work", according to a letter written him by Lawrence Starck. Participating in a nation-wide sales contest held during March, Mr. Boyer sold a requisite number of fruit trees to win the medal, which is approximately the size of a $10 gold piece.

Sap Spradlen has been told over the radio by a fortune teller that he is going to change positions right soon. He believes it is a case of mistaken identity, as he hasn't had one in ten years.—Commercial Appeal.

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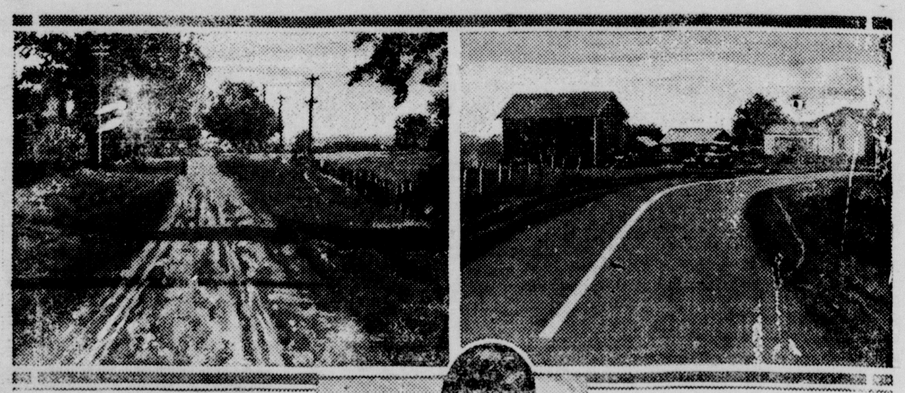

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THE contrast between the ... "mud hole" road at the left and the smooth, hard-surface highway at the right, pictures the whole problem of adequate farm-to-market roads.

Strangely enough the solution of the problem of providing such improved roads to furnish the farmer with proper transportation facilities between farm and market, has been aided by the "mud shake" machine, employed in one of the basic laboratory tests developed in the Arlington, Va., laboratories of the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads.

The test provides a method of determining the proportions of sand, clay, silt and other materials in road soils. A first step in this method of soil analysis is to obtain a thorough dispersion of the sample in distilled water by the use of the special "mud shake" machine.

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... the process ... between the ... them together and provides stability. The extent to which soils develop moisture film cohesion is largely dependent upon the materials of which they are composed.

Increasing use of chemical admixtures such as calcium chloride—a substance which when spread on the road surface slows down evaporation and draws additional moisture from the air—has played an important part in the rapid development of sand, sand-clay and gravel roads that provide a hard, smooth surface, virtually a "soil concrete", at low cost. The road shown at the right, in Onondaga County, N. Y., is a typical example of such calcium chloride treated highways.

U. S. Bureau of Public Roads Photo

The "mud shake" machine in action.

PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS FROM PARIS APPEAL

Another thing that might contribute towards industrial peace would be a law requiring a labor leader's salary to stope when he ordered a srtike which stopped the pay of his followers.

A cash register salesman visited Paris merchants last week. Half of them thanked him for the compliment. The other half thought he was making fun of them, and chased him out of their stores.

Not one person in a thousand finds any use for the airmail. This explains the lack of interest in efforts to return it to the bandits who had been using it as a weapon for extorting money from the national treasury.

Town, city, State and nation are disappointed in the taxes they expected to collect from legalized liquor. There is a reason—two reasons, to be exact. One is the extortion that is being practiced by liquor manufacturers. The average man continues to buy illegal liquor at a third of what these extortioners demand. Reason No. 2 is the lack of public sentiment against local bootleggers, hardly any of whom have been prosecuted since prohibition was repealed.

The trouble with the president's efforts to deal with organized labor is that organized labor would rather listen to a high-salaried leader who advocates a strike than to a real friend like Franklin D. Roosevelt who undertakes to do something constructive in its behalf. It was this way when Woodrow Wilson favored shorter hours and longer pay for union laborers during the World War. The more their hours were reduced and the more their compensation was increased the more unreasonable their leaders became. What our Government should do is to forbid strikes, forcing Capital and Labor to resort to an established tribunal with their disputes, just as the rest of us must do.

The United States and Japan are making some more peace pledges. But nobody expects Japan to take them seriously. Always she has violated her agreements when a dishonest course promised a coveted reward. Less than ten years ago she covenanted with the United States and other nations to respect the territory of China, since which time she has pillaged the Chinese of their best possessions. Worse still, she has violated solemn agreements made with the League of Nations and has spit in the face of every Governmet, including our own, which reminded her of treaty pledges. Japan, it will be remembered, destroyed the Russian battle fleet at Port Arthur when a state of peace prevailed between those nations, thus enabling her to win a war she otherwise would have lost. Our Government should make more agreements with Russia and less with Japan, for the Japs undoubtedly plan to fight both countries in the course of time.

OUR BROTHER IS GRATEFUL

We country fellers have another big advantage over our city cousins. It is after recovering from a great affliction. When we get able to be down town again there is a warm personal greeting from everybody, from the old and the young, from the high and the low, from the rich and the poor, from the whites and the blacks. There is a special thrill to the words of children as they flock to your side and shout their pleasure at seeing you out again. Then there are the neighbors who volunteer to do your daily tasks and the friends who send flowers or good things to eat to your bedside. If you are a man in active business your competitor down the street ceases to be a rival for business. Instead, he unobtrusively seeks to be of service to those who are carrying on for you. The world, which used to be so cold and forbidding at times, now seems a heavenly place in which to live, and you feel inspired to dedicate more of your time, more of your talents and more of your means to God, home and humanity. What a contrast all this is to the experience of a city cousin who has had a long siege in hospital or home. Nobody has missed him from the streets. Except in his immediate family or office there probably are not a dozen people who knew of his misfortune. This, of course, is not because the inhabitants of his community are thoughtless or mean. It is because of the fact that where hundreds of thousands live within the narrow boundaries of a city the individual becomes lost among the masses and too often finds it impossible to get well acquainted with even his nearest neighbors. Getting down to personalities, the Appeal editor always has liked to live in Paris and Monroe county. He has never realized what universally fine and lovable people they contain as since the great misfortune which overtook his household three months ago. Thank God for the privilege of living in such a town and county! And thank God for the office associates who carried on so loyally and so efficiently during his long absence!—Jack Blanton in Paris Appeal.

HOME SURVEY COMPLETED

A part of the federal rural housing survey which has been in progress in New Madrid County for three months was completed Thursday. During that time twenty-two persons were employed and more than $3500 was brought into the county.

While the survey has been made in only eleven representative Missouri counties, its results are intended to affect the whole State. From the survey, government authorities will learn rural home owners' needs in regard to repairs and improvements, as well as their attitudes about borrowing money from the government to make them.

It is thought that if farmers would accept long-time loans with small interest rates, building industry would revive and employment increase.

"Can't something be done for that ship in distress?" asked an old lady at the seaside.

"It's alright, mam. We sent a line to the crew to come ashore", said the Coast Guardsman.

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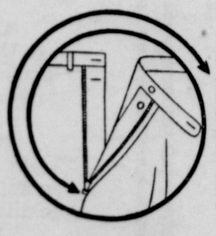

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Personal News of Sikeston

By Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Their romance was born under the languorous warmth of southern skies.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marshall entertained the following Sunday at their home in Crowder: Mr and Mrs. Harry Pratt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stacy and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Kiser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Marshall and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Inman, Miss Lena Payne and Miss Jessie Stacy.

They faced danger of dishonor and death for an hour of ecstasy. —Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Tom Gardner, Royal Neighbor Juvenile director, entertained with an egg hunt Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for the members of that camp. The hunt was held on the large lawn in front of the home, and was in the farm of the "fowl" game with two leaders. When the eggs were found, the finder letting the captain know by mimmicking named fowl. The hunt was followed by horseback riding, and foot races. Lots of fun was had by all, the following Juveniles attending: Elizabeth, Roy and Billie Wagner, Electa and Billie Shankle and Dempsey Gardner. Other guests were: Mary Helen Wagner, Marcella Johnson of East Prairie and Dorsetta and Vernon Johnson of Matthews. The Juveniles, their guests and the following were served refreshments at 6 o'clock: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagner, Mrs. M. E. Prouty, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker, East Prairie, and Mrs. Lottie Johnson of Matthews.

While life throbs in the veins of youth . . . no power on earth can keep a boy and girl from seeking love.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Billie Fox left Sunday for Columbia, after spending the Easter holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox. He is attending the Missouri University there.

Southern romance . . . warm and languorous in the mysterious bayous of Louisiana.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Garwood Sharp and Miss Ruth Inez Felker were in Poplar Bluff last Thursday night, where they visited John Denman, a patient in the Brandon Hospital there.

In a tiny sheltered world she grew up with no knowledge of love . . . until the man of her heart dropped out of nowhere.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Purtle, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Purtle and son, Raymond, of Nashville, Tenn., arrived Sunday for a few days' visit with the formers' daughter, Mrs. Steve Witt and family. They will also visit with Mrs. Purtle's mother and sister, Mrs. M. F. Darby and Mis Edith, while here.

A love story that will grip your heart in the intensity of its realism.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Davis entertained the following Sunday at their home in this city: Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kiser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Satterfield and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, Cairo, Ill.; Dee Atherton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Witt and children and Mrs. Nora Atherton, of Tanner.

Romance . . thundering drama . . gripping conflict are all blended into this most entertaining picture of the year.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson and daughter. Miss Helen, and Miss Mildred Williams were in Cape Girardeau last Friday night.

The cajuns . . "Lost Acadians" . . . most mysterious of all southern peoples provide a colorful human background for "Lazy River".—Malone Theatr, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cooper and Miss Freda Reese spent Sunday in Oran with friends. While there they also attended the revival meeting being held at the Baptist church by Rev. Jas. Rayburn of St. Louis.

The only picture ever made with scenes in the little known bayous and lagoons of Louisiana. —Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Tanner and son of St. Louis spent the weekend here with Mr. Tanner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Tanner. We are sorry to report the condition of Mr. Tanner is unchanged.

Men . . . love . . . and life . . she sought them all under the glamorous southern moon.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Maggie Lillard, Mrs. Anna Winchester and Mrs. Myra McConnell of Arlington, Ky., spent Sunday in Sikeston. Mrs. Lillard visited her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Matthews III. and family; Mrs. Winchester with her niece, Mrs. Frank Van Horne, and Mrs. McConnell visiting Mrs. J. L. Tanner and family.

Love that will stir your heart . . . drama that will shake your soul . . . and comedy that starts roars of laughter is the formula for entertainment offered in "Lazy River".—Malone Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson and daughter, Ruth, and Miss Grace Cline of St. Louis visited the latter part of last week with W. H. Cline and family of Route One. Miss Cline visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Shoulders of this city.

Three of the maddest, merriest maniacs ever seen together take charge of the quietest beauty spot this side of heaven.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Dora Suvers, Mrs. Lee Cunningham, Mrs. Ruby Hamby and son, Jesse Lee, were in Oran Sunday afternoon, to attend the revival meeting being conducted there by Rev. Jas. Rayburn of St. Louis.

Hell hath no fury like a wife starved for love!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The following were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gardner, Sunday: Mrs. Sophia Edmondson, Mrs. M. E. Prouty, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardner, Billie and Roy Wagner, Jr., Sikeston; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker of East Prairie and Mrs. Lottie Johnson and children of Matthews.

Flaming secrets from a woman's broken heart!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Lynnette Stallcup left yesterday (Monday) for Gulfport, Miss., where she is attending the Gulf Park Seminary, after spending the Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Stallcup.

Can one woman's love be more important than another's life?—Malone Theatre , Tuesday and Wednesday.

We are glad to report that Mrs. L. D. Randol is now able to be out again.

Chatterton rises to new heights of dramatic achievement!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Bess returned to her home in Poplar Bluff, last Thursday. Mrs. Bess had been here at the home of her son, Wayne Bess, helping to care for her grandson, Albert Keith, who had the pneumonia. He is now reported to be getting along nicely.

Harvey S. Johnson was called to Benton Sunday night on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Joyce at Vanduser, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger A. Bailey and son, Roger, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lathom were in Dexter, Sunday afternoon.

Page after page ripped from the tear-stained diary of her guilty heart!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Caughlin, a teacher at Kennett, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caughlin, at Morley.

A woman knows no law but her own blind fury!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Schmidt spent Saturday and Sunday in Cape Girardeau, visiting Mrs. Schmidt's mother, Mrs. Mary Ristig.

The great Chatterton playing her heart out in a role that will haunt your dreams!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rice and C. J. Hinkle of Pahokee, Fla., arrived last Fridya for a visit with Mrs. Rice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kindred, at McMullin. Mr. Hinkle is a nephew of Mr. Kindred.

Is a husband private property? —Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Baker and children spent from Friday until Sunday with relatives at Peoria, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Fry and daughter, and Miss Elsie Rayburn of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rayburn and Mrs. Walter Gerhardt and daughters of Cape Girardeau spent Sunday here with their brother, Walter Rayburn and family.

Miss Corene E. Heisserer spent Easter with homefolks in Oran.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones were 7 o'clock dinner guests last Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scott of Cairo. Mr. and Mrs. Scott left that night for St. Louis, where they will remain a short while, he being a salesman for the Independent Packing Company of that city. Mr. Scott is being transferred from Cairo to another territory.

Btween $45 and $50 was made from the Easter bazaar held last Saturday by the Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harris and children of Portageville, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yamitz and children of Route One were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott, Sunday.

Miss Ada Kirkbride spent Saturday night and Sunday in Cape Girardeau with her sister, Mrs. Art Moore.

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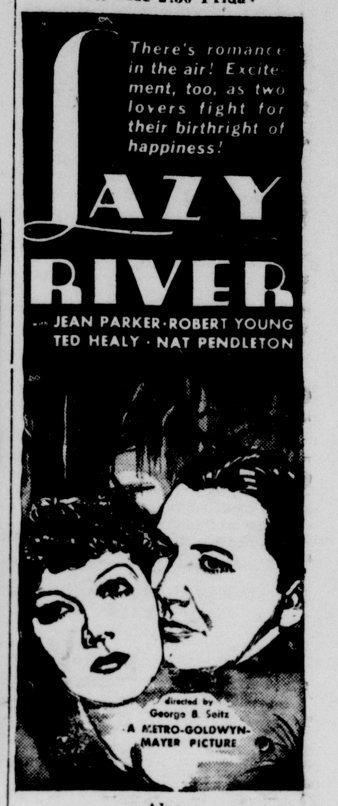

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Sikeston's Public Schools

I believe that the Public Schools of Sikeston have been fairly efficiently managed in the past. Some mistakes have been made of course—it is human to err. But however good the management has been, you must admit that the choosing of the Board of Directors in Sikeston, has been clannish and dictatorial. The public, the voter at large, the average citizen has had no word to say in it. A few have gotten together, or by grapevine telephone, have named the men whose names were put on the ticket, and it has been up to you to vote for them, or else. These men have been selected from among the inner circle, with the result that no outsider has had any opportunity to get on the ticket.

I do not believe in clannish government, nor in gag rule, nor do I believe that the average citizen of Sikeston believes in this sort of government. Lincoln said "God must have loved the common people, he made so many of them", and it is to the common people, who have a love and desire for a Representative Government, that I am appealing, to put me on the Board of Education, of the Sikeston School District.

I am a young man, pay school taxes, and have children in school, thus you can see my interest in our city and our community, and I feel that if you will put me on the Board of Public Education, I may be able to do something a little different, or a little better. I can at least say that if you elect me, I have, and will keep, an open independent mind, to serve the whole people, to the best of my ability.

I am not the chosen one, selected by the inner circle to run, but you, the independent voter, can elecet me by leaving my name on your ballot. Won't you do this?

Leave ONLY my name on your ballot—and by so doing, say to everyone that you believe in giving a young man a chance, that no man nor set of men shall arbitrarily say who shall serve you on the School Board, say to you "Here he is, take him or leave him".

No man, nor set of men, no matter how good they may be, have the right to perpetuate themselves in office, or to select their successors, year in and year out. It is the voters right, who are stockholders in this great institution, to say who shall serve them.

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THE EDITOR SAYS—

The only candidate on the slate of the Democratic Club was Dr. G. W. Presnell and he was elected.

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Some prominent Republicans of the city who favored the defeated candidate for Mayor, have let forth some gripes and groans over the fact that twelve deputy sheriffs, under the direction of Joe Anderson, high sheriff, were on hand Tuesday to see that no illegal votes were cast in this election. These deputies were on hand to stop repeaters, primarily, and is the first city election in years that was absolutely on the square. They were volunteers, sworn in by Circuit Clerk Pfefferkorn of Benton, and approved by Judge Frank Kelly of Cape Girardeau.

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The hounds have run the Fuchs to his lair where he will remain until the next election when he will emerge from his hole and be rested and ready to run another race. He's a good scout and will be ready at any time to work for the interests of Sikeston.

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To Scott Wilson. Letter received and contents noted. Everything is lovely and the goose honks high. You should receive several gallons of maple syrup from Missouri Counties mentioned for your batter cakes.

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Mrs. R. E. Fletcher, of Regina, Canada, held two perfect bridge hands in succession, so says Ripley. Wish our wife could hold one during her life time.

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Walter Kendall was little in evidence on election day. He made garden that day and left it all with the voters as to whether he was to remain as police chief for another term. Probably it would have been best for some others if they had been making garden that day.

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The only regular Democratic nominee backed by the local Democratic organization was elected by a crushing majority. The Republicans had no organization and no regular nominee, but did all in their power to defeat the Democrat by centering on an independent or bolter. Not only did the Republicans vote almost solidly against the Democrat, but used intimidation tactics to force Democrats to vote their way. We have the names of the three such cases, one a business man, one a high salaried man in a big corporate organization, and the third a member of a city organization, who should be asked to resign. If it becomes necessary we stand ready with the names, the facts and the proof.

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The Standard is carrying some very attractive grocery advertisements in this issue. Read them and let your mouth water.

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When Judge Myers turns over to his successor the Police Court records, they will be found posted to date and correct. Judge Myers is proud of this set of books and well may he be.

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The grading of Tanner Street will be completed this week and the pouring of the concrete will begin about the 16th. In the meantime the forms will be placed and all material assembled. Weather permitting, two weeks will be required to complete the slab, then curb and gutter will follow.

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Instances of continued business improvement are learned almost daily. Figures released by the postoffice authorities here show that postoffice receipts for the first quarter of this year exceed those for a corresponding period in 1933 by 25 per cent and that the totals for the same three months are much higher than those for the last quarter of 1933, which included all Christmas activity. Once more the wheels have begun slowly to turn, the revolutions growing more firm with increased momentum.

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F. V. Ragsdale, of Paris, Mo., and father of Buckner Ragsdale, of Charleston, was a caller at The Standard office Wednesday afternoon. This was an honor that we greatly appreciated as he has always been our friend and well wisher. He is well along in years, but is the same neat and polished gentleman of old. May the good Lord deal gently with him for the years that he is with us.

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The election is over and the sore spots should be salved with a healing potion of some sort that will cause forgetfulness of the liars that defeated candidates know exist. Then catch a good breath of fresh air and resolve to back the new Mayor and Council to the limit for the good of the city and the community.

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Wednesday evening the deep blue of a threatening sky intensified the brightness of pear blossoms and jonquils. Strong winds blew brief showers of rain, heralding the traditional beginning of April, and men and women worked in gardens or looked about. Grass is growing green and buds on shrubs and trees slowly spread above early spring flowers, starting once more an eternal, refreshing period of the year's cycle.

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W. H. Carter, new police judge, left Wednesday evening for a visit with friends in Carbondale, Ill., for a few days before taking charge of the office on Monday.

Presnell Wins Mayor's Office By Large Vote

Dr. G. W. Presnell was chosen mayor of Sikeston Tuesday by a majority of 751 votes, in perhaps the largest and most interesting election the town has ever held. Dr. Presnell received 1676 votes to former Mayor N. E. Fuchs' 925.

The vote by wards follows:

Presnell, ward one, 317; ward two, 469; ward three, 513; ward four, 377. Fuchs ward one, 246; ward two, 229; ward three 200; word four, 250.

At a Council meeting held in the City Hall Wednesday morning the new Mayor was sworn in, together with the recently elected members of the Council. A meeting of the group was called for tonight at 7:30 o'clock, at which time plans will probably be made for a special election to choose an alderman from ward thre to fill the place left vacant by Dr. Presnell's victory.

Elmos Taylor was re-elected City Collector by a comfortable margin, getting 1125 votes to D. L. McElroy's 872 and Ed "Pete" Kendall's 493.

W. H. Carter, with 1017 votes, was elected police judge, defeating Jos. W. Myers, incumbent, by 87. Myers received 930 votes, and William S. Smith, also running, 516. Walker Kendall defeated Ira Shuffit for the office of police chief by a vote of 1665 to 914. Robert Dempster, who will graduate in June from the school of law at the University of Missouri, was elected City Attorney by a large margin, receiving 1661 votes to J. M. Massengill's 813.

The closest vote was recorded in the race for City Assessor when R. F. Anderson got 1173 to defeat A. C. Barrett by 13. Mr. Barrett was supported by 1160 persons. In ward three, E. J. Malone, Jr., received 2 votes for this office, and P. H. Stevenson, 3. C. D. Matthews III unopposed, was given 12 votes in ward one for city treasurand 4 in ward three.

n the race for aldermen Hubert Boyer was re-elected councilman from ward two with 319 votes, defeating J. T. Bruce with 208, and Walter Hughes and Charles Henson with 69 each. Lynn Waggener, unopposed, got 553 votes in ward one, and in ward three J. O. Hahs polled 684. Gust Zacher got 1vote in this district. In ward four, Thomas F. Rafferty beat R. M. Houchens, receiving 325 votes to Houchens' 253.

R. A. McCord and C. D. Matthews III, were elected to the school board with 1356 and 1443 votes, respectively. Lyman Gross trailed with 814. Both school levies were passed by a large majority.

The votes by wards follow:

Police Chief—				
Wards	1	2	3	4
Kendall	348	459	469	389
Shuffit	205	239	236	234
CITY ATTORNEY—				
Dempster	387	436	465	373
Massengill	146	225	232	210
POLICE JUDGE—				
Carter	150	256	368	243
Myers	243	294	202	191
Smith	162	125	111	118
CITY COLLECTOR—				
Taylor	268	355	359	143
McElroy	153	183	208	328
Kendall	135	132	138	88
CITY ASSESOR—				
Anderson	235	369	292	277
Barrett	300	245	356	259
Malone			2	
Stevenson			3	
ALDERMEN—				
Ward	1	2	3	4
Waggener	553			
Hughes		69		
Boyer		319		
Bruce		208		
Henson		69		
Hahs			684	
Zacher			1	
Rafferty				325
Houchens				253
SCHOOL BOARD—				
McCord	286	317	490	263
Matthews	353	354	440	296
Gross	143	226	221	224
$1 LEVY—				
Ward	1	2	3	4
Yes	293	270	290	402
No	85	97	73	9
40 CENT LEVY—				
Ward	1	2	3	4
Yes	293	262	280	405
No	71	75	73	9

Mrs. G. A. Dempster Escapes Severe Injury

Mrs. G. A. Dempster was slightly injured when a car in which she was riding turned over on Highway 61 near McMullin at about 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. Woodrow Brashear, driver of the car, was not hurt. Mrs. Dempster suffered only severe bruises from the accident. The automobile was not badly damaged.

Mrs. Dempster was returning from St. Charles, where she had taken her son, Robert Dempster, newly elected city attorney, so that he could catch a bus back to Columbia, where he is a senior in the School of Law at the University of Missouri. Near Kindred's Oil Station the car got beyond control and seemed to leap into the air before turning over. After getting the automobile put on the highway again, Mrs. Dempster and Brashear drove into Sikeston. Mrs. Dempster is now resting at her home here.

Three Fail to Rob New Madrid Store

Three persons, one a woman dressed in men's clothes, were frustrated in an attempt to rob the William Bisbennett store near New Madrid at about 7 o'clock Monday evening.

One of the men, accompanied by the woman, entered the store and asked George Ford, the postmaster and a clerk, for a package of cigarettes. As Ford turned to get it, the woman drew out a pistol and said, "Hold everything, you mugs".

As Ford began running to the back of the store to get a gun, the woman fired two or three times but missed him. Grabbed by William Ice, who was a customer in the store at the time, the woman dropped her gun in a scuffle which followed. Then she jerked free from Ice and ran toward the front door, while her companion, pointing his pistol at Ford and Ice backed out. When the two ran to a waiting car, Ford fired from the gun he had found in the rear of the store, sending several bullets through the front windows. It is not thought that any of them struck the robbers.

The driver, who had waited in a new 1933 Chevrolet sedan, guided the car west toward Parma, but the three were not found in that town and it is believed they went north on a country road.

Sikeston-Crowder Men Chosen For the CCC

Daniel Byrd, Barney Chappell, Ernest Stacy and Royal Kellett, all of Sikeston, and D. C. Miller of Crowder were chosen to represent this immediate district at a new six-months' session of a Civilian Conservation Corps Camp to be started soon. They were picked from young men, members of needy families, who registered at the Illmo relief office.

Together with others of Scott County's quota of twenty-three, these men will leave here in a truck for Poplar Bluff at 7 o'clock this morning. From that city they will go to a camp, probably the one now located in the Sam A. Baker State Park in the northwest part of Wayne County.

Missouri will have a total of twenty-one camps during this third enrollment period, according to information from Washington. Thirteen will occupy former sites, four will be in national forests, three in State forests, three on private land, and eight in State Parks. An additional three camps will be supervised by the soil erosion service. Of Missouri's enrollment of quota of 8250, 4326 will be employed within the State.

The camps will be located in the following places: Dent County, three; Carter, two; Pulaski, one; Reynolds, one; Wayne, two; Harrison, two; Washington, one; McLeod and Dallas, one; Shannon, one; Worth, one; Clinton, one; Daviess, one; Franklin, one; Barry, one and Atchison, one.

PATROL OFFICERS REVIEW ACTIVITY

During March patrolmen for the Missouri State Highway Department office here made seventy-nine arrests, of which fifteen were for felony charges, corrected 709 defective lights, recovered thre stolen automobiles, issued 216 warnings, and patroled 31,429 miles.

Perhaps the most outstanding arrests of the month were made by Trooper Benjamin F. Graham, March 14, when he caught Robert Trolinder of St. Joseph, Texas, and Frank Layton of Claremore, Okla., near Willow Springs following a tip. The men, who were well supplied with guns and State license plates at the time of their arrests, were wanted in Mansfield, Ft. Smith and Fayetteville, Ark., Baxter Springs and Galena, Kan., York, Nebr., Muskogee and Talapaw, Okla., and Sherman, Texas, in all these places on charges of bank robbery. Soon after being captured and taken to the jail at Houston, Mo., they were identified by the cashier of the Mansfield, Ark. bank as being implicated in a recent holdup there. They were also linked with Ford Bradshaw and Wilbur Underhill, Oklahoma outlaws.

During the first three months of this year, patrolmen made 231 arrests. recovered 15 stolen automobiles, issued 592 warnings, corrected 2405 defective lights, and patroled 87,437 miles. Of the arrests, 72 were of persons wanted on felony charges. Thirty-six of these were made in January when officers caught numerous New Madrid County outlaws.

Building Projects Progress Rapidly

About seventeen workmen began Thursday to excavate for the new building to be erected for the Bank of Sikeston. One man guided a plow, pulled by a team of mules, to loosen the dirt, which laborers shoveled into trucks. Dirt to a depth of eight feet will be taken from the lot and hauled to the fork of Highway 61 at the north dege of town.

Contractors for the work, the St. Louis Bank Building & Equipment Company, are having most difficulty with the foundation of the old Southern Methodist Episcopal church building erected in 1891 and torn down three or four years ago. Mortar holding the stones is well preserved, and all foundation rocks will have to be dug out by hand. It is thought that the new str[illegible] be ready for

Grading on the Tanner street project is progressing rapidly. Dirt is being taken from high places to those which need filling, brick crossings have been torn up, and stumps of trees removed.

PLAY TO BE GIVEN

A three-act comedy entitled "Deacon Dubbs" will be presented tonight at the Tanner school beginning at 7:45 o'clock. The part of the deacon will be taken by James W. Jackson. Others in the play will be Mrs. Effie Loback, Mrs. James Jackson, Charles Gwaltney, Virginia Gwaltney, Mrs. Opal McCarver, Woodrow Gwaltney, Howard Manley, Thos. Gwaltney and Mrs. Thos. Gwaltney. Between the acts other entertainment will be provided. Admission to the performance will

Semo Golf Association Schedule of Games

A schedule of games between members of the Southeast Missouri Golf Association was completed at a meeting of that organization held last Sunday at the American Legion Golf Club in Dexter. The season for the Sikeston club will open April 29 when it plays Charleston here and will end officially when the club plays Hayti August 5 at Hayti. During the season the Sikeston club will have open dates on which it may meet members of the Cape Girardeau club, who withdrew from the association last year, Cairo and Blytheville.

Ordinarily an equal number of the best men of two clubs, usually about twenty, pair off for an afternoon's tournament. At the end of the season the club whose members have won the greatest number of matches is judged the victor. Previously small individual trophies have been given each year. This year, however, the prize will be a large trophy cup, twenty inches high and valued at $50, which, to be permanently retained, must be won by a club for three years.

The clubs winning the tournaments since the association was organized in 1929 are Sikeston, 1933; Poplar Bluff, 1932; Cape Girardeau, 1931; Sikeston, 1930, and Cape Girardeau, 1929.

The association now consists of groups from Dexter, Kennett, Hayti, Charleston, Poplar Bluff and Sikeston. Hayti has been admitted this year, but games with it are not scheduled until June 3, when it is thought a nine-hole course being made at the intersection of Highways 84 and 61 will be completed.

At Sunday's meeting George Kirk of Sikeston was re-elected president and Tate Gillis of Poplar Bluff was re-elected secretary of the organization. At this meeting, too, the 193 3rules of play were adopted.

The season's schedule is as follows:

APRIL 22—
Kennett at Charleston
Poplar Bluff at Dexter
APRIL 29—
Charleston at Sikeston
Kennett at Poplar Bluff
MAY 6—
Dexter at Charleston
Poplar Bluff at Sikeston
MAY 13—
Sikeston at Dexter
Poplar Bluff at Kennett
MAY 20—
Dexter at Kennett
Sikeston at Charleston
JUNE 3—
Charleston at Poplar Bluff
Kennett at Sikeston
Hayti at Dexter
JUNE 10—
Charleston at Dexter
Hayti at Kennett
JUNE 17—
Charleston at Kennett
Dexter at Poplar Bluff
Hayti at Sikeston
JULY 1—
Poplar Bluff at Charleston
Kennett at Hayti
JULY 15—
Kennett at Dexter
Poplar Bluff at Hayti
JULY 29—
Dexter at Hayti
Sikeston at Poplar Bluff
AUGUST 5—
Sikeston at Hayti
AUGUST 12—
Hayti at Charleston
Hayti at Poplar Bluff

VEACH-SWANAGON

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Swanagon announce the marriage of their eldest daughter, Lucille, to Charles F. Veach. The impressive ring ceremony was quietly solemnized Sunday afternoon, March 25, at 5:30 o'clock in the home of the Rev. Ralph Kerley on Monroe Avenue, the Rev. Kerley reading the marriage rite. The only attendants were, Miss Leoma Swanagon, sister of the bride, and Grady Tate.

The bride was becomingly dressed in cream silk with accessories to harmonize. She is a graduate of Jonesboro high school and has a large circle of friends here.

Mr. Veach is the only son of Mrs. J. E. Gregory of Newark, N. J. He has acepted a position there and the bride will join him May 1st.—Jonesboro, Ark. paper.

Mrs. Veach is a daughter of the former wife of Mr. Swanagon, who was Miss Dixie Marshall of this city. She is also the granddaughter of Mrs. S. E. Swanagon, of Sikeston and ames Marshall of Crowder.

APOLLO GROUP

The Apollo Group will meet this Friday afternoon with Miss Kathryn Clark. The study leader is Mrs. Bert Rowe of Malden. Mrs. E. H. Orear is music leader and assisted by Mesdames J. L. Atkins, Vincent Rost, Misses Madge Davis, Wilma Ragains and Vivian Boone.

ELECTIONS HELD IN NEARBY TOWNS

Citizens of this immediate district went to the polls Tuesday to choose town officers and members of school boards. In some places the voting was light and listless; in others candidates contested and won or lost only by small margins. In all the elections the tax levies for schools, of varying amounts on a $100 valuation, were carried.

At Advance a proposal for construction of a water plant failed to win a necessary two thirds majority by only 4 votes. One hundred and thirteen persons cast ballots in favor of it, while 62 voted in opposition. Candidates for the school board held the interest of citizens Tuesday when Charles Prather and Carl Richmond won from G E Kinder and Andrew Shell by a comfortable margin. Lloyd Jenkins and Louis Grevel were re-elected aldermen and L. J. Cook was named police judge and Sam Musgraves, collector. These men had no opponents.

James Hunt was chosen mayor of Dexter, beating the incumbent, W. A. Loeffler. 795 to 330. Roy Kilmer, elected with 313 votes, defeated seven other candidates for collector, and Abe Shehorn won the marshal's office from the incumbent, Wilburn Venable.

Other elected were the following: Assessor, C. O. Dennison, aldermen, T. J. Ross, Z. G. Kirby and W. A. Corlew; school board, W. A. Loeffler and W. S. Kerny. A law retraining dogs from running at large was passed.

For the third time, A. V. Rice was re-elected mayor of Clarkton. Other successful candidates were H. B. Johnson, alderman; W. H. Martin, also alderman; B. Boone, marshal; Loy Waltrip, city collector, and B. S. Hubbard and L. J. Dunn, school directors.

There was only one contest in the New Madrid elections. Broughton Henderson, who has been night marshal, was elected marshal by defeating George Babcock by 31 votes. Mayor S. L. Hunter, collector, L. A. Richards and Alderman, A. O. Allen and W. G. Lewis were all re-elected without opposition. Frank Bashem was chosen police judge, Dr. M. C. Mills and Frank Bashem were named to the school board, and Morris Frankle was elected the city council.

Fifty votes were cast in an uncontested election at Commerce. Town board members, including the present mayor, Tillman Anderson, elected were Harry Raspberry, Ben Gaither, Omar Clark and Louis Totty. Will Hawkins and Madison Zaricor will serve on the school board for three years and Louis Totty will serve one year.

With little interest on the part of voters two new members were placed on the board of education in the Bloomfield election. They are Elmer Aslin and Scott Reed. W. J. Liles and August Johns were chosen aldermen. A proposal for a nine months' school term was carried.

At Hayti, Bill Methery and T. A. McNail were elected to the board of education. Roy Buck gained a place on the city council without opposition, and Chas. Morgan defeated I. L. Gilbert, 78 to 51 votes, to win a seat in that same group.

In perhaps the closest election Bertrand has ever seen, J. O. Bebout was elected mayor by beating John Gaty, incumbent, by one vote. Those men were both chosen for positions on the school board.

M. C. Jeffress was elected mayor of Bernie over B. M. Hopkins. C. H. Lincoln, the former mayor, did not run. In the race for the marshal's office, E. L. Moore won from thre other candidates. Others elected include W. J. Nichols, police judge; T. F. Norwood, collector and street commissioner; W. D. Tucker, Ray Blades and R. E. Backman, aldermen, and Leroy Ward and Kenneth Perkins, school directors.

Little interest was shown in the election at Morehouse at which Herbert Poiner and Clay Reynolds were chosen members of the town board and Jim Wallace and John Crosno, school board directors.

At Kelso E. F. Hawn was re-elected mayor for the tenth consecutive time, and Fred Heeb was re-elected clerk. Other successful candidates were Ben Drury, J. H. Schumacher and John Glasser, alderman, and Andy Heisserer and H. J. H. Schumcaher, members of the school board.

In a quiet election held Tuesday at Vanduser, A. M. Phegley, L. O. Williams, William Martin, Fred chosen as aldermen. Only one of these men had opposition. A. M. Phegley and Dines Hale were elected to the school board for three-year terms.

Voting was also light at Morley. W. V. Caughlin, Ranney McDonough, A. M. Lancastre, L. E. Ford and Marshal Thacker were placed on the town board, and L. W. Revelle, Bill Foster, Tom Irvin and Jess Brasher were named to the school board.

Successful candidates at Diehlstadt were Will Michael and J. D Nichols, as school directors, defeating two other men in a close vote.

CHILDREN BAPTIZED AT M. E. SERVICES

Seven children were baptized during the Easter morning services held Sunday at the Southern Methodist Episcopal Church here. They were Julia Susan Sikes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sikes; Robert Way Gaston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gaston; Charles Davis Matthews IV, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matthews III; Charles Carol Forrester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney V. Forrester; John Ernest Harper, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harper; Margaret Mae Baber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buford B. Baber, and Richard Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith.

At these services, too, a choir composed of fifty-one children sang as did Charles Leonard Kirk, and A. J. Rushing, Jr. The Rev. E. H. Orear preached on "The Resurrection".

A large crowd attended the performance of the Pageant of the Cross presented Easter night at the First Baptist Church by members of the Dorcas class. Plans are now being made for the young women to give the pageant at Morehouse and Oran. The cast includes Vernetta Smith, Freda Lankford, Lela Stacy, Lillian Limbaugh, Aileen Garrison, Marguerite Bryant and Neva Mae Taylor.

WORLD'S CLUB TO MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

The boys' and girls' World's Club will meet with Mrs. C. L. Orrell Monday afternoon, April 9, at 3:00. All members urged to ato present.

CIRCUS HAS DOG ACTOR

Kapitan, the son of Rin-Tin-Tin, who will be here April 24 with the Russell Bros. Circus, is sometimes called the "world's most highly educated canine star".

Heading the company's list of dog actors, who perform difficult feats, both comic and serious, he is said to exhibit "astonishing ability" and intelligence remarkably human. After being featured in more than twenty motion pictures and substituting for dogs in other productions, Kapitan has been released from his contract long enough to appear with the circus during one season. After that time he will return to Hollywood.

Now, however, he travels in his private automobile, sitting or sleeping on a feather mattress directly behind the driver's seat. He is given a bath daily and has specially prepared meals.

Kapitan adds, subtracts, and chooses any brand of cigarette he is told to. With his filed teeth he is able to grab a man's wrist, and with a turn, throw the man in two seconds.

It is said that he is an honorary member of forty-three police departments and that he is an ex-

The Angel of Death Visited—

Funeral services for J. D. Sailors, 75 years old, who died at his home here Wednesday following a cerebral hemorrhags, were held at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the residence on Fletcher street. Burial was in Dogwood cemetery, which is located about eight miles south of Bertrand.

Mr. Sailors was born April 17, 1868. He had lived in Sikeston for approximately fifteen years. He is survived by two sons, J. W. and J. T. Sailors, both of Sikeston, a brother, J. M. Sailors, Columbus, Ky., and other relatives. His wife, who died about seven years ago, is buried in Dogwood cemetery. Welsh service.

Mrs. Tee Allen Hinkle, 60 years old, a lifelong resident of Sikeston, died at her home here of cancer at 1 o'clock Thursday morning. Funeral services will be conducted at 10 o'clock Saturday morning by the Rev. C. F. Transue at the Nazarene Church. Burial will be in the City Cemetery.

Mrs. Hinkle was born May 1, 1873, at Louisville, Ky. In 1878 she moved to Sikeston, where she spent the remainder of her life. On August 7, 1887, she married James Hinkle, who survives her.

Besides her husband, she is survived by five children, Mrs. Ercy Dodson and Mrs. Jennie Clodfelter, both of Sikeston, and Pearman, Marvin and John Hinkle, all of St. Louis; one brother, Jake Pearman, Malden; three sisters, Mrs. Chas. Lee, Charleston; Mrs. Richard Edwards, Percy, Ill., and Mrs. Stella Taylor, St. Louis; a stepmother, Mrs. R. P. Pearman, St. Louis, and seven grandchildren. Five of her children are now dead.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Pearman, Jake Pearman, Mrs. Charles Lee and Mrs. Stella Taylor, as well as Mrs. Hinkle's children, are here and will attend the services. Dempster service.

PRESNELL HAS LED QUIET, USEFUL LIFE

Dr. G. W. Presnell, who was made mayor in Tuesday's election, has followed an even and until recently, a fairly obscure life of a country practicioner. But as a doctor and a man he has been distinguished in his own community, and those who know him esteem him highly. With "a life of routine" he dismisses his years, but few people even make that kind of life worthwhile and distinctive.

He was born in Bollinger County, but when he was very young, he moved to Libertyville, St. Francis County, a small town near Farmington. There he was educated.

After teaching in a rural school for a time, he attended the now closed Barnes Medical College in St. Louis. In 1897, when he was twenty-three years old, Dr. Presnell graduated in medicine and went to Fredericktown to practice. Later he moved to Kennett. Then twenty years ago he came to Sikeston, established offices, and built a substantial clientele.

Until 1933, Dr. Presnell never ran for an office. That year he was elected as alderman to the City Council from ward three. This position he resigned Wednesday morning in order to accept the mayorship.

During the World War, Dr. Presnell trained at Ft. Rilye, Kas. Like numerous other men, he did not reach the battlefields in Europe. He is a member of the Southern Methodist Episcopal Church and the American Legion, and is an Odd Fellow and a thirty-second degree Mason and Shriner. He is also examiner for the United States Veterans' Bureau for Sikeston.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS CHOSEN

Sam Adkins, Oscar Kindred, Albert Norman and Ray Wisdom were chosen as Crowder school directors at the annual school election held Tuesday in Crowder. Adkins and Kindred, elected for a term of three years, received 63 and 73 votes respectively to defeat V. A. Tubbs with 6 and W. S. Sherry with 3. Norman, who got 71, and Wisdom, 73, were elected for a year. They defeated Oscar Collins and Charlie Cooper, who each received 1 vote.

The votes for a 60-cent levy on the $100 valuation for school purposes and for the 15-cent levy for the direct building fund were both favorable to the schools.

THE WEATHER

The following daily high and low temperatures were recorded by John LaFont at the Frisco station here:

	High	Low
Monday	79	49
Tuesday	83	60
Wednesday	86	56

T. M. SCOTT FOR COLLECTOR

T. M. Scott, former sheriff of Scot County, comes out this week for the office of collector, being the second county candidate who has made known his intentions through the columns of this newspaper.

Mr. Scott has been an active Democrat for years and is well acquainted with the people of the county, having served one term as sheriff and also one term as deputy under W. E. Kirkendall.

He has many friends who will

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King Cotton in Handcuffs

Regimentation is one of those colorful words of indistinct meaning that have come into vogue as part of the lexicon of economic revolution taking place in the United States. It has an ominous sound, and indeed an ominous purport. It has been overused until it may mean whatever the speaker intends it to mean, from chaining men to their workbenches to merely enforcing the "keep off the grass" signs.

But now it is no longer an entirely speculative or theoretical phrase. It has taken definite form in the Bankhead bill for limitation of cotton production just passed by Congress with Administration approval. This is regimentation only in its incipient form, yet it is by far the most drastic and revolutionary legislation yet passed in the agricultural and industrial program.

To say to a farmer by edict of law. "This much cotton you may market and no more, except at a prohibitive tax", is to break with nearly all the traditions of American agriculture. First, there is the tradition that production is a good in itself—and the more production the better. Second, there is the tradition that a man, especially a farmer, is lord of his own acres and may plant what he pleases. Third, there is a tradition that farmers are notoriously the poorest co-operators with each other on the face of the earth.

It is because of this third characteristic in the situation that the changeover has taken place from voluntary to compulsory regulation in the case of America's largest export crop—and a tremendous gulf it is that has been crossed.

Voluntary co-operation on the part of the great majority of southern farmers resulted in a substantial decrease in acreage but not in total yield. And it is the crop total that affects the price.

In a sense the Bankhead bill is an application in agriculture of the policies already in effect thruout most of trade and industry under the NRA. Perhaps 90 per cent of the cotton growers are willing to go along with the reduction plant to a point where the crop will bring a price on which the reasonably efficient producer can maintain a moderately respectable standard of living. The remaining 10 per cent might be likened to the chiselers and sweatshops in industry. The Government is undertaking to protect those who recognize the dictates of America's foreign trade stipulation and are trying to adjust themselves to it.

The machinery of this protection admittedly is cumbersome. To assign quotas to the States, then to counties, and finally to the individual farmers, is an intricate and highly delicate task. To enforce the tax is a further responsibility. And the scheme immediately involves ramifications because the cotton planters might switch—growers of other crops into which such as peanuts—clamor for similar protection.

Mr. Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, indicates that his department assented to the bill only with reluctance after compulsory control was demanded by practically the whole southern delegation in Congress. The plan is not without precedent in other countries, probably the best example being the market quotas on hogs in Holland. But any such control has clearly undesirable features. One is that it leads to increasing regimentation and curtailment of individual freedom. Another is that, as Senator William E. Borah points out, it tends away from improvement in the supply and distribution of wealth.

What are the alternatives? One is the return to laissez faire and the slow, painful extermination of surplus producers by the law of supply and demand—and the jungle. Apart from that, if the United States wishes to escape the spredaing regimentation that must accompany economic self-containment, it must set resolutely to forming and adopting a forward-looking policy on foreign trade, to cultivating export markets, to being a more reasonable international creditor and to receiving goods in world exchange.—Christian Science Monitor.

STATE MEETING PLANNED

A State-wide convention of Democratic women of Missouri will be held in Jefferson City April 6, according to Mrs. Edna Cruzen, State Labor Commissioner and vice chairman of the Democratic State Committee. The principal topic of discussion will be party organization. Miss Mary Dawson of New York City, national chairman of the women's division of the Democratic party, will be the featured speaker.

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MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

Floyd C. Shoemaker

As violent and spectacular as had been his fifteen years of outlawry, was the death of Jesse James on April 3, 1882, the news of which flashed to an incredulous America from St. Joseph, Mo., 52 years ago this week. A single shot from the pistol of a member of his own gang closed the career of the most notorious outlaw in Missouri history, and provided St. Joseph with perhaps the greatest news event in her annals.

Unrecognized, the blue-eyed, slender, bearded, mild-mannered outlaw had been living quietly in St. Joseph with his wife and two children for nearly five months under the name of Thomas Howard. Since July 28, 1881, a reward of $10,000 had been offered for his arrest, delivery and conviction. With him were two brothers, Charles and Robert Ford, recent additions to his gang.

The scene of the outlaw's death was a small house at Thirteenth and Lafayette streets. Early that morning Jesse James and the Fords had been to the stable currying their horses. On returning to the house sometime between 8 and 9 o'clock, the noted outlaw took off his coat and vest because of the warm weather. His belt and two pistols were also removed for fear someone passing by might see the weapons. Picking up a duster, he stepped up on a chair to clean some pictures, turning his back to the Ford brothers.

Seeing the notorious outlaw unarmed, the two Fords quickly drew their guns, but Robert was the quicker. With the muzzle of his gun scarcely four feet from Jesse James' head, he pulled the trigger, and a bullet crashed through the outlaw's head. There was no outcry. The notorious bandit swayed and fell heavily to the floor. Mrs. James rushed into the room from the adjoining kitchen, and as she spoke to him, the outlaw seemed to want to say something to her, but a moment later he died in her arms.

After the murder, the Ford brothers surrendered to police officers. Meanwhile excitement in the city grew rapidly and thruout America the news created great interset. Although there was general satisfaction that the career of the notorious outlaw had been ended, the manner in which his death was effected was widely criticized. The Fords were accused of killing the bandit for the large reward offered, with the encouragement of public officials.

The death of Jesse James ended a remarkable career of crime and broke up the James gang. Jesse, the recognized leader, was born September 5, 1847, at Centerville, now Kearney, in Clay County. During the Civil War with his elder brother, Alexander Franklin James, commonly called Frank, Jesse served with the notorious confederated guerilla, William Clarke Quantrill. For a year after the war, while Jesse recovered from severe wounds, both James boys were apparently law-abiding, but in 1866, with Coleman Younger, they formed a gang that became the terror of a large area of the middle west. The gang at first specialized in bank robberies, but in 1873 they inaugurated the innovation of train robberies. For ten years their operations were successful, but disaster came on September 7, 1876, in an attempted robbery of a bank at Northfield, Minn. Of the eight men in that attempt, three were killed, three were shot and captured, and only Frank and Jesse James escaped.

After a retirement of about 3 years, the James brothers with a new following robbed a train in 1879 and two more in 1881. But public opinion, which had previously tolerated, if not approved, of their actions, now changed. Arrests and deaths thinned the ranks of the gang, but the two James boys remained at large. It was the need of new recruits that led Jesse to take the Ford brothers into his confidence shortly before his treacherous assassination. In their expectation of achieving popularity by killing Jesse James, the Ford brothers failed. They were tried for murder, and found guilty, although the governor of Missouri immediately pardoned them. Furthermore, only a small part of the $10,00 reward never reached their hands, and both men met tragic ends. Frank James surrendered to Governor T. T. Crittenden of Missouri on October 5, 1882. He was ried at Gallatin for murder in August, 1883, and acquitted, and the next year was acquitted on charges of a robbery at Huntsville, Ala. Other charges against him were dropped because of lack of evidence. His later life was in all respects honorable, and he died near Kearney in 1915.

Jesse James was first buried on the homestead of his mother, Mrs. Zerelda Samuels near Kearney, but in 1902 he was re-buried in a cemetery at Kearney beside his wife. He always justified his career of outlawry on the grounds that he was driven to it because of persecutions during and after the Civil War.

NORGE REPORTS SPECTACULAR SALES GAINS

Detroit, Mach 27.—Unfilled Norge orders as of March 15th were 1860 per cent above those on hand on the same date last year, Howard E. Blood, president Norge Corporation, division of Borg-Warner Corporation, commented when explaining that Norge factories at Muskegon and Detroit were now working four shifts of six hours each per day and that the amazing acceleration of recent sales had required increases in Norge employment.

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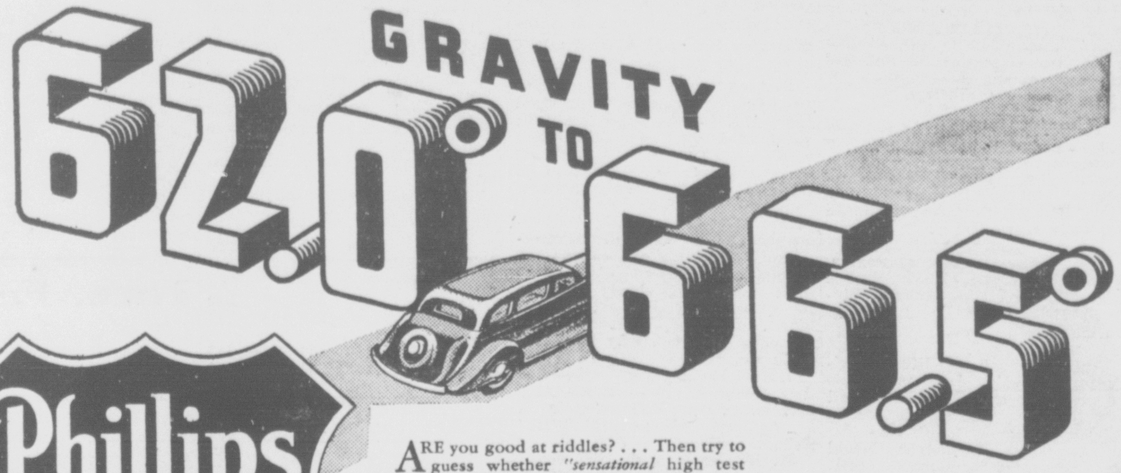

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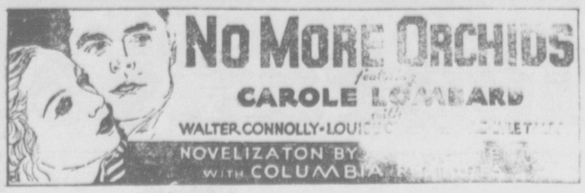

WHAT HAS HAPPENED

When Ann Talbot arrives on board the giant transatlantic liner that has been waiting for her for several hours, soaking wet, Tony Gage lends his services to carry her to her cabin. He leaves her there unceremoniously with her grandmother. Ann, who recently announced her engagement with Prince Carlos, and thereby fulfilling a wish of her grandfather, Jerome Cedric, an extremely wealthy man, decides that she has taken a liking to Tony and proceeds to chase him. Tony, who is connected with her grandfather's lawyers, does not intend to be an episode to brighten up the voyage to New York for her, and tells her so when she corners him in the ship's gymnasium.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"So you don't find me attractive?" Ann asked as they prepared to leave the gymnasium.

Tony was engrossed tying his shoe as he replied. "You're a very desirable creature." He jerked the lace vigorously. "And very potent. But you're too used to snapping your fingers and having everyone toe the mark."

"Most men love it," she replied.

"I must be exceptional." He rose and looked at her.

"Go ahead, I can take it," she declared encouragingly.

"You are really trying to start something, aren't you?"

"Uh-uh," Ann nodded.

"You're utterly charming, but you've been brought up badly."

"Spoiled," Ann nodded sagely.

"All your worst qualities have been carefully developed and your good ones left to rot," he continued.

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"Impossible!" h[illegible] finality.

"The last time [illegible] sible' you kissed m[illegible] him.

Tony realized hi[illegible] drew back. "I promis[illegible] happen again."

Tony and Ann spe[illegible] together. Rita, Ann's [illegible] gested that she would [illegible] a little time with T[illegible] Ann strenuously objected.

"What about this [illegible]?" Rita asked.

"Oh that was B. G[illegible] Rita looked puzzled [illegible] continued, "Before Gage [illegible] granfather's idea, any[illegible] a little cracked on the subject of royalty."

"Isn't that going t[illegible] things?" Rita asked.

"Don't count on it, darling. I generally get what I want."

Tony, however, kept out of Ann's way for the next few days. They met again quite through accident as far as Tony was concerned, but entirely intentional on Ann's part. She had searched diligently for him.

"Do you realize you haven't been near me for days?" she asked.

"Yes, I realize that," he replied and turned back toward the rail

Ann affected a southern dialect, "Mighty cool out here, Colonel," she said.
(Carole Lombard-Lyle Talbot)

Ann looked at him ingratiatingly. "I like you too," she confessed.

"You're clever and attractive but you've nothing to back it up," he continued. "No standard."

Ann looked innocent. "In other words, I need a gage."

Tony was angry. "You're impossible." He suddenly stepped closer to her, swept her fiercely into his arms, gave her a savage kiss, and was gone before she could recover.

But Ann was not contented to let Tony get away from her like that. She waited until she thought he'd be in a deck chair smoking, and then strolled out in search of him. Fortunately the chair next to the lad was vacant, so she flung herself into it.

"Well, as I live and breathe—it's A. Gage!" she exclaimed in feigned surprise as she looked toward him. "I've looked all over the boat for you." The lad looked at her, smiled, and looked away without reply, so Ann continued. "I always says, isn't this a small world, that's what I always says."

"Too small, sometimes," Tony replied. He got up and walked away.

Ann rose and promptly followed him. "If I'm not inquisitive, might I ask for the pleasure of this dance with you?" she asked.

"Hot in there," Tony murmured.

Ann affected a Southern dialect. "Mighty cool out here, Colonel." She put her arm around him as if to lead.

"I'll do the leading, thank you," he said.

Ann became very conversational. "You know, I have a queer feeling—you and I have danced like this before—all alone on the deck of a ship."

"We have," Tony unexpectedly replied. "We did years ago on our honeymoon."

Ann was truly surprised. "Huh? Pardon me, but the sea is rather noisy tonight." She cupped her ear and Tony repeated very loudly. "I said—on our honeymoon!"

Ann pretended she remembered. "Oh of course. Of course—my wretched memory of faces—"

Tony interrupted her. "Well, it was such a brief honeymoon. The marriage took place too soon after our meeting."

"Would you refresh my memory as to where we met?" she asked.

"On the society pages of the rotogravure section—where I first saw your picture."

"And so we were married," Ann mused. "Were we—awfully happy?" she asked softly.

"Well, at first—yes!" Tony confessed. "But when you started flaunting those big income checks from your grandfather in my face—"

Ann laughed as she interrupted him. "You've got it all figured out, haven't you?" He nodded as she urged him to continue.

"You kept showering me with gifts."

"For instance?" Ann inquired.

"Well—a new punching bag when I liked my old one—those are the things that wear a man down."

"And so we parted."

Tony nodded affirmatively. "It had to come."

Ann snuggled closer to him. He stopped dancing and moved away quickly, lighting a cigarette.

"Aren't we going to finish this dance," Ann asked?

"Some day—maybe." He seated himself in a deck chair. Ann seated herself on the foot of it.

"In other words, you threw me to glance out at the water. Ann paused in silence for a minute, her back against the rail.

"I'm in love," she said.

"I assumed that when you agreed to marry the Prince," he replied.

Ann was serious as she quietly said, "I'm in love with you."

Tony turned toward her. "Why don't you stop playing for once in your life?" he asked.

"I'm not playing. I mean it," she declared. He smiled and turned looking back out at the water.

Ann broke the silence. "Tony! Tomorrow we land! We may never see each other again."

"That might be better for both of us."

Ann became earnest, "Why do you insist upon building imaginary walls between us?"

Tony turned to her. "I suppose it's my instinct for self-preservation."

"And for that you're going to sacrifice something very real?"

Tony was unbelieving. "How real?"

Ann placed her hands on his lapels. "This is the first time I ever felt this way about anybody. You must believe me, Tony—you must!" She put her arms around him, and her cheek against his.

It was a struggle for Tony not to put his arms around her, but he did not succumb. Instead, he drew back her arms and held her away as though she were a child. "I'd like to, but I don't." There was an edge of control in his voice. "Why don't you go and dance?"

She looked at him a moment, then dropped her arms. He left without another word and she walked over to the rail.

That was the last time Ann saw Tony before they landed, while at home, her father was experiencing a threatened tragedy as he waited for the return of his daughter, whom he idolized.

Mr. Holt was the president of a bank, which through poor loans was on the verge of closing its doors. Only Jerome Cedric, Ann's grandfather on her mother's side, could save him from ruin. Holt, however, refused to crawl to Cedric. He was determined to stand upon his own feet. He would allow Cedric to do everything he wanted for Ann, but Holt would not take a penny of the old man's money for himself—not even as a loan to save the bank. In that he was determined; but the overhanging disgrace of closing the doors of his bank, weighed Holt down. He could not entirely mask his troubled mind as he went to meet Ann, whom he had not seen in over a year. The two had always been like pals. Ann idolized her father, and he adored her. He missed her at the boat, but greeted her almost as soon as she reached the house.

"You dog!" Ann exclaimed. "Why didn't you meet me at the boat? You had me scared to death! Anything wrong?"

Mr. Holt tried to hide it. "Of course not—I was havin' lunch with a new Follies Queen."

"Liar," laughed Ann. She planted a soft kiss on his cheek. "You'd never stand me up for another woman!"

Mr. Holt looked his daughter up and down. "I'll swear you're prettier than ever. How'd I ever let you get away from me?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Transue and Miss Mary Stubblefield left Wednesday afternoon for Piedmont to attend the Preachers' and Workers' Convention conducted there Wednesday and Thursday. On Wednesday evening the men's quartet composed of Harold Ray, Dan Duval, Roy Gray and Ira Chaney sang at the Convention. Dr. F. W. Willingham, President of Olivet College near Danville, Ill., was the principal speaker during the Convention.

Mrs. Isaac Palmer of Parma is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Transue and family.

Building a Better State— Postpone Your Funeral

Tuberculosis is not inherited. It is curable and preventable declares J. W. Becker of the Missouri Tuberculosis Association with State Headquarters at St. Louis.

Slogans have become popular, and serve a useful purpose. In the field of curative and preventive medicine the outstanding achievement is the lengthening of the span of life. By employing all that is now known in the field of scientific medicine it is possible for folks to "postpone their own funeral".

This slogan may aptly be applied in the campaign for the control of tuberculosis. Through the united efforts, nation-wide, the tuberculosis death rate the past twenty-five years has been reduced from 200 per 100,000 population in 1904 to 53 in 1933.

It is apparent when the public fully understands and observes the basic facts about tuberculosis still greater advance will be seen in the control of this dreaded human plague. Among them the following will bear repeating again and again:

1. Tuberculosis is caused by a germ, the tubercle bacillus. Where there is no germ there can be no tuberculosis. The disease is highly communicable. Every case of tuberculosis comes from another case.

Question: From whom did you get it? To whom did you give it?

2. There is a difference between infection and the disease tuberculosis. When the germ is lodged somewhere in the body, the person is infected. The disease may never develop, but there is a possibility that it will. If the disease does develop there is usually a long period between infection and onset of the disease.

3. Tuberculosis is not hereditary. It is curable and preventable; difficult to diagnose in the early stages; usually develops slowly and is of long duration. The adult type is more readily recognized from physicial signs and symptoms. The childhood type is scarcely recognizable, except thru tuberculin and X-ray procedures. Tuberculosis is no respector of persons. It attacks alike the young and the old; the rich and the poor; the ruralist and the urbanite.

4. There is no specific cure for Tuberculosis. Internal medicine will not effect a cure. Reward of quacks and quackery. The proven and accepted cure consists of complete rest, mental and physical, preferably in a sanatorium; fresh air and sunshine, good sanitation, wholesome food, peace of mind, a will to get well and ticktutitiveness. All these under efficient medical guidance.

5. Children in contact with open cases in the home are in danger of contracting the disease through spread of the germ in the sputum. The repeated massive infection may sooner or later cause the disease. For this reason the patient, if sanatorium care is not available, should be isolated in the home.

6. Children exposed to open cases in the home are called "contacts". It is from these contacts that a large percentage of tuberculosis will develop in the future. If all the contacts could be given the tuberculin test, X-ray and proper medical treatment and supervision great strides would be made in controlling tuberculosis during the immediate years to come.

Though the death rate has declined rapidly during the past decade in Missouri and the country at large, tuberculosis remains the cause of the greatest number of deaths in the age group from fifteen to forty-five years, the productive period of life. Last year as many as 500 Missouri young men and young women of high school and college age died from tuberculosis. More than 1600 between the ages of 15 and 50, in our own State, succumbed to this disease.

It appears that the immediate needs of Missouri in the further control of tuberculosis are more sanatorium beds available to patients; county and State facilities for diagnosis and care of tuberculosis in both adults and childhood; State-wide plan for aftercare and rehabilitation of tuberculosis patients discharged from Sanatoria.

A NEW POLICE PLAN

The Massachusetts Legislature has had submitted to it by Governor Ely a new police plan which is of interest, because it represents the happy medium between the English police system many are advocating and the inadequate American systems now in vogue.

Governor Ely's plan calls for appointment of a State commissioner of public safet yand four associates by the governor. Three of the associates are to be chiefs of police.

The commission will supervise a and will have power to recommend the training school for policemen and equipment of local police units, inspect local units and have disciplinary power over all police organizations in the State.

Where community governments cannot afford to equip their units the State will do it.

Should a major crime situation arise, a single supreme commander will take charge and the police work of all or part of the State as it relates to the situation will be done under his direction.

What Massachusetts hopes to acomplish is to match the speed of the modern criminal with even greater speed, guns with more guns and his craft with a greater intelligence.

The plan has the endorsement of four former Massachusetts governors, a number of former Boston mayors, the chairmen of the Democratic and Republican State committees and others of influential position in politics and business. It has come of long and careful study by practical law enforcement agencies. It represents a distinct departure from any plan yet tried. In short, it is a plan of mobilization and co-ordination of available force.—Commercial Appeal.

Neighborhood Personal News From Big Opening

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and family of Pharris Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Moore and fmaily, Mrs. Susan Kem and Archie Kem were callers at the Jodie Kem home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Hasting was the Sunday dinner guest of Miss Violet Wilburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Morse Bailey and family, Miss Zelpha DeWitt and Opal Hastings were visitors at the Wil Pearcy home, Sunday.

Bill Baker of Sikeston transacted business in Big Opening Monday morning.

J. D. Brown and Bennie Brown were the Saturday night guests of Carl D. and Clem Allen Hoover.

Miss Opal Hasting was the Sunday dinner guest of Miss Euna Kem.

John Allie was a visitor in Risco last week.

Earl Kem is visiting J. H. Moore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem and family spent a few hours at the R. D. Hoover home Saturday night.

A weiner roast was given at the Wilburn school house Monday night in honor of the pupils. A large crowd attended and all reported a nice time.

The Standard $2.00 per year.

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Raisin Nut Bread	.	10c
Iceberg Lettuce, per head		5c
Bananas, per dozen	.	17c
CABBAGE, 2 lbs.	.	5c
ORANGES, Florida, per peck		49c
GRAPEFRUIT, each 5c. Peck		55c
Country Club Roll Butter, pound	.	24c
Beef Steak, 2 lbs. 35c. Beef Roast, lb.		12c
PORK CHOPS, pound	. .	15c
FRESH GROUND BEEF, 3 lbs.		25c
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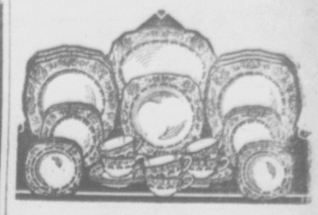

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Slightly used Majestic Range with high closet and large copper reservoir. White panel closet and oven doors. New one like it would cost you $135.00. In perfect condition—$69.50 on time payments.

STILL THEY COME

Ten new living room suites arrived this week selling at popular prices which you will agree are plenty low. There are also new gliders, breakfast sets, bedroom suites, felt base rugs and other articles which you have not seen before.

OUTSTANDING

Aladdin Electric Lamps are different—usually prettier—always more stylish. Twenty or twenty-five are on sale this week at a 30% discount—most of them table lamps. See them in the front window.

MIXING DREAMS WITH SWEAT

Ambition, imagination, dreams of better days, etc., etc., may all have a part in the ordinary run of events, but for some reason these fancies never accomplish much at our place unless mixed with a large per cent of old-fashioned HARD WORK. We shall therefore continue our daily grind of serving up the best furniture menu the markets afford at prices average folks can afford to pay and not spare the perspiration. If you endorse that way of running a store, "come and see us sometime".

SPECIALISTS

Mr. Leech takes keen delight in showing newlyweds or others in need of complete outfits through our mammoth stock. Newt knows good values in staple home furnishings and always pilots his customers to the best bargains in the store. Sam Wilcox and Claude O'Connor likewise take great pride in demonstrating Frigidaires Philco Radios and other specialties. Jack and the Straw Boss pinch hit for these fellows when necessry and always do their best. All work under a strict rule of making no statement regarding our merchandise that cannot be made good. Most people seem to like that way of merchandising.

100 very attractive lamp shades for bridge, junior and smaller lamps are also on special sale in two lots. Choice for 49c on one table—choice 79c on the other. Dress up your old lamp at slight cost.

Shainberg's After-Easter Clearance

LADIES SHOES

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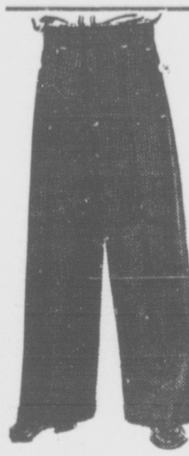

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ARRESTED FOR DRUNKEN DRIVING HERE

R. M. Sisk of Charleston was arrested here Tuesday night for driving an auto while intoxicated. Earlier in the evening Sisk had been stopped by an officer at Bertrand but had resisted the officer and drove away. He was arrested here by Trooper Melvin Dace.

After his arrest it was found that the seriol numbers on the tires of his auto had been mutilated to such an extent that they wree unreadable. He was questioned extensively about this matter, but revealed nothing concerning the tires.

DRIVER ARRESTED FOR FAILURE TO OBTAIN LICENSE

Tommy Cauthorne of Bertrand was arrested at that place last Friday night for operating his automobile without State license tags. The arrest was made by Trooper Dace, who stated that he knew of the operation of the auto but had not been able to locate Cauthorne.

Cauthorne was sentenced to 30 days in jail.

GARDEN COURT
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CLIFFORD GREGGORY TO TALK AT DISTRICT MEET

Clifford Greggory, editor of the Prairie Farmer and owner of radio station WLS, Chicago, will speak at a meeting of farmers and business men of Southeast Missouri, Southern Illinois and Western Kentucky, to be held in the Cairo high school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, April 11.

Mr. Greggory, who is closely associated with Henry C. Wallace, secretary of agriculture in Washington, has been very active in promoting the AAA bill. He is a member of the Illinois Farm and Hog Committee and is known throughout the middle west as a friend and adviser to the farmer.

At this meeting he will speak on a subject of paramount interest and concern to every farmer and business man of this part of the country.

Every person living in this district is urged to attend the gathing. There will be no admission charge.

Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Maples and family will leave Charleston soon to make their home again at Green City, Mo., where Rev. Maples will be pastor of the Baptist Church there. About twenty years ago Rev. Maples and family lived at Green City where he was pastor of this church. For the past year they have resided in Charleston, moving from Sikeston to that city to be pastor of the Central Baptist church. Later the Central and First Baptist Churches re-united, and since that time has been Missionary Minister of the Charleston Association.

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UTILITIES CASE APPEALED

The Missouri Public Service Commission's decision which failed to deprive the Missouri Utilities Company from supply power to Sikeston was upheld by the Cole County circuit court in a statement given March 30. Attorneys representing Sikeston have appealed the decision to the Missouri Supreme Court.

The case, one of long standing, was first refused by the Supreme Court in 1931, when that body declined to pass on the matter, declaring that a ruling should oe made by the Public Service Commission. After that group's decision, the case was taken to the Cole County Court to wait for trial.

THE "HOME OF TOMORROW" HAS TWO REFRIGERATORS

"The Home of Tomorrow" as exemplified by the house recently built in Mansfield, Ohio by the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company has as standard equipment, two electric refrigerators, according to Mr. Simmons local Westinghouse refrigerator representative. The local dealer explained that two electric refrigerators will soon be adopted as standard equipment in many homes as a result of the tests given the kitchen and dining service in the "Home of Tomorrow" in Mansfield.

"Each refrigerator fills a well defined need in this home of the future',' Mr. Simmons continued. "One refrigerator, with 7.5 cubic feet content, is located in the kitchen, adjacent to the service entrance for the incoming groceries and food supplies. Thus, with a minimum of effort the housewife can take care of the incoming supplies, placing the foods that require refrigeration in the refrigerator without lost effort or time. Bins have been substituted for legs under the food compartment of the refrigerators, so that this space, usually lost as a storage area, is utilized to store potatoes, and other bulky foods for which a high degree of refrigeration is not necessary".

"The second refrigerator is located in the corridor immediately between the kitchen and the convenience pantry. Salads, desserts and other preparations for the dinner service, are kept in this smaller refrigerator. With this second refrigerator in use to store the lighter foods it is not necessary for the housewife to enter the kitchen in preparing the many meals that will be eaten in the breakfast room. Then too, it is close enough to the dining room, to minimize the steps necessary to serve cold or frozen preparations, eliminating the steps taken when the housewife has to walk out into the kitchen to the large refrigerator.

The Class In History Meets

The Bourbons and Tories have done no end of funny things, but nothing equals their attempt to discredit the progressive proposals of the Roosevelt administration by tagging them as the work of the "young liberal group" or the "youthful members of the Brain Trust". The idea, apparently, is that youth and wisdom cannot go together, and that the sponsorship of a young man is enough in itself to brand a plan as irresponsible.

It is to laugh. Do the forces of reaction know nothing whatever about American history? Do they not know that Thomas Jefferson was a member of the Continental Congress at 32 and the author of the Declaration of Independence at 33? Do they not know Edward Rutledge sat in our first national legislative body at 25 and signed the Declaration at 27? Have they not heard that John Jay was a member of the Continental Congress at 29 and its President at 34; that he was Secretary of Foreign Affairs while still in his 30s and the first Chief Justice soon afterward? Did they not learn in school that Alexander Hamilton was a legislator at 25, a writer for the Federalist at 29 and the first Secretary of the Treasury at 32?

Why, the truth is that the Founding Fathers, whom the seekers of privilege profess so to reverence, were a group of young bloods, by the side of whom the Tugwells and Landises now in Washington appear as a circle of doddering ancients! And the list can be expanded indefinitely. Patrick Henry was 29 when he went to the Virginia House of Burgesses, and still in his 30s when he made his famous speech on the eve of the Revolution. Jas. Madison was a member of the Virginia constitutional convention at 25 and a delegate to the Continental Congress at 29. John Marshall went to the Legislature of his State when he was 27 and to the constitutional convention when 33. And so on.

"Fletcher bill's lineage traced", says a headline in an Eastern financial journal on the proposal to regulate stock exchanges; "young liberal group drafted it last summer, yet backers feel sure".

"Young liberal group"! Pardon us if we find it difficult to conceal our amusement.—Post-Dispatch.

LICENSE INCREASE SHOWN

Five hundred and fifty-nine State license plates have been sold since March 20, acording to figures released at Arthur's Cities Service Station, agent for the plates. Up to Tuesday night a total of 4846 had been sold, making the number for 1934 exceed last year's by 1966, since on April 3, 1933, only 2880 had been purchased.

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THE CHURCH WORLD

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH
Hours of Masses:
Sundays—7:00 and 9:00
Holy Dys—6:00 and 9:00
Daily Mass.
Fr. Thos. R. Woods

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study—9:45 o'clock
Morning Worship—11.00.
The public is invited.

TANNER CHURCH
Rev. Lem Council, Pastor
Calvin Greer, Sunday school superintendent.
Preaching services first and third Sunday morning and night of each month.
Our attendance and interest is increasing as well as the efficiency. Come to the Lord's house on the Lord's day and study the Lord's word.

FREE PENTECOST CHURCH
Highway 60, west of Frisco depot.
Services at the Free Pentecost Church every Wednesday. Sunday school 10 o'clock. Services every Sunday morning and night.
C. B. DANIELS, Pastor

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sunday school—9:45 o'clock
Morning Worship—10:45.
Senior Endeavor—6:30
Choir Practice—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Ladies' Aid Society—4th and 2nd Friday.
Women Bible Class—4th Tuesday.
R. M. TALBERT, Pastor

METHODIST CHURCH
11:00 a. m. Preaching Services. Subject: "I Am Not Ashamed of the Gospel of Christ".
6.45 p. m.—Epworth Leagues.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship—Subject: "The Christ, the Alpha and Omega".
E. H. Orear, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Ted Higgins General Superintendent.
10:40 A. M.—Morning Worship. Pulpit to be supplied at both the morning and evening services.
6:30 P. M.—B. Y. P. U.
7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship.
LESLIE GARRISON, Pastor.

Other Church News

The Arbutus Class met Monday night at the home of Mrs. Ben Morrison, with Mrs. Floray Royal, assistant hostess. Sixteen members and three visitors were present. The regular routine of business was transacted. The next month's meeting will be held with Mrs. W. A. Clark, and Mrs. Wm. Keller, assistant hostess.

The T. E. L. Class held its meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. Dean Marshall, with Mrs. Boyd Scillian, assistant hostess. This was a "tacky" party and was enjoyed by twenty-one members, five visitors and several children. A former member, Mrs. B. C. Bice of Pahokee, Fla., was also present. The regular business of the class was transacted after which a social hour was enjoyed. The place of meeting for next month will be announced later.

The Fidelis class will meet next Monday night with Mrs. Margaret Joyce. Mrs. Christina Lowe, assistant hostess.

MINISTERS' CONFERENCE HERE ON APRIL 16

The Southeast Missouri Ministers' Conference of the Baptist churches will be held in Sikeston Monday, April 16, at the First Baptist church.

Lunch will be served at noon by members of the W. M. U.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION HERE TUESDAY

The Woman's Missionary Union, Auxiliary to the Charleston Baptist Association will hold its meeting in Sikeston next Tuesday, April 10, at the First Baptist church.

Following is the program:
10:00—Devotional, Blodgett.
10:15—Business session
12:00—Noon—Lunch
1:30—Devotional, Gravel Ridge
1:45—General Topics:
"The Attractive Christ"
(1) The Purity of Christ—Charleston
(2) The Attractive Christ Ministers to Our Spiritual Needs—Morley
Special—Sikeston
(3) The Attractive hrist Endows Us With Energy for Victorious Living—Oran
(4) Challenge of the Attractive Christ—Fornfelt

FAIRVIEW CHURCH

Subject for Fairview church Sunday morning: "God's Permanent Recovery Act". Evening: "Midnight at Noon".

NAZARENE CHURCH

Sunday school—9:30.
Morning worship—10:30. Sermon by the pastor.
N. Y. P. S.—6:30.
Evening worship—7:30. Sermon by the pastor.
C. F. TRANSUE, Pastor

The Thursday evening prayer service will be in charge of the Young People's Society of the church. Various departments of the church will have charge of these services each Thursday evening.

RUSSELL-BRADLEY TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

The Russell-Bradley Missionary Society of the local M. E. Church, will hold its meeting next Tuesday night, April 10, at the home of Miss Mayme Marshall. Mrs. L. F. Mayfield, assistant hostess.

WOMAN'S CLUB

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack Anderson, April 10, with a miscelleanous program.

AUXILIARY NOTES

The Auxiliary of the American Legion will meet Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Marshall Myers. All members are urged to attend.

CO-WORKERS TO ENJOY SPANISH PARTY APRIL 25

The Co-Workers of the Methodist Church will enjoy a Spanish party at the home of Mrs. E. C. Matthews Wednesday, April 25. Mrs. C. D. Matthews will be in charge of the entertainment, and a very enjoyable time is anticipated.

U. D. C. TO MEET THURSDAY, APRIL 12

The local Chapter of the U. D. C. will meet at the home of Mrs. Moore Greer next Thursday afternoon, April 12, with Mrs. J. N. Ross as leader. Every member invited to attend.

Try CLASSIFIED

WANTED—15 acres of land in city limits or at edge of town for garden purposes. Will pay cash rent. See C. L. Blanton, Jr., at Standard o ce.

WANTED—Experienced housekeeper, cook, also care 2 small children. Give reference. all 137. tf-54.

FOR SALE—Hay. Phone 404. 2t-54.

FOR RENT—2 nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. $3 per wek. 702 Prosperity St. tf-54.

FOR RENS—Apt. for couple. For information call 409. 2t-54.

WANTED—Experienced cook or waitress. Apply Crossroads Cafe, intersection 60 and 61. 1t-54.

FOR RENT—5-room house, furnished. See Talley C. Sams at O. K. Barber Shop. tf-53.

FOR SALE—R. I. Red baby chicks, April 9th at $6.50 per hundred. Good used incubators.—Mrs. Morris Walker, Bertrand, Mo. 1tpd.-53

FOR SALE—Stonesville planting cotton seed.—Joe Crouthers, Sikeston, R3, box 60. Phone 3420. tf-53

FOR SALE—Good second hand Kimball piano, in fine condition, also Singer and New Royal second hand, 'tho almost new, sewing machines, depression prices and easy terms.—A. E. Shankle, 224 W. Center St. 4t-52.

WANTED—Good Jersey cow. Call 317. tf-52.

FOR SALE—No. 1 Koran Lespedeza, dodder free, no weed, 5c per lb., f. o. b. Gallatin, Tenn.—L. A. Green. 6tpd-51.

FOR SALE—Good used electric ranges at a bargain. See us before buying.—Sikeston Commission Co., opposite Bank of Sikeston. tf-38.

HAY FOR SALE—Choice pea hay, baled.—E. F. Frey, 2 miles east of McMullin. tf.-43.

FOR EXCHANGE—12-room hotel with confectionery and beer. Will trade for Southeast Missouri land. Call at Sikeston Commission Co., Sikeston. See L. O. Gnadt. tf-47.

FOR HAND LAUNDRY call Mrs. Elnora Jones, phone 520w. Will call for and deliver. tf-49.

ROOMS and BOARD—$5.00 per week. 1 block from business district.—302 Trotter St., phone 409. tf-49.

Mrs. C. E. Felker and daughter, Miss Ruth, Mrs. M. M. Beck and daughter, Miss Ann, and Mrs. H. C. Young and son, John Richard, spent Tuesday in Poplar Bluff.

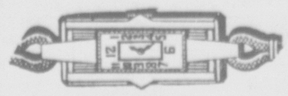
Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Kready spent the latter part of last week at University City, visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. L. Werner and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson, a daughter, Wednesday, April 4.

Miss Maxine Sellards left Wednesday for a week-end visit with her sister, Miss Nadine, who is teaching in Festus.

We are authorized to announce W. P. Wilkerson as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Scott County on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the August primary.

Sale of Watches



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During the balance of the month of April am offering all Ladies and Gents Watches at special reduction of 25 per cent. All are brand new watches, nothing reserved. Now is the opportune time to buy the GRADUATION WATCH. Also 10 per cent off on any diamond in stock.

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1932 Chevrolet Coach
1931 Ford 4-Door Sedan
1931 Chevrolet Coach
1929 Ford Coupe
1928 Chevrolet Coach

Trucks

1932 Reo Cab and Chassis Dual wheels
1929 Whippet Panel Closed Body
1929 Ford Stake Body
1928 Chevrolet Cab and Chassis
1927 Chevrolet Stake Body

Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Company
"Service After Sales"
Sikeston, Mo.

One Fountain Syringe
One Hot Water Bottle
Both for $1.26
GALLOWAY'S 1c SALE

Thanks

I take this means of thanking all my friends who supported me in my successful campaign for Alderman in Ward No. 4.

I will endeavor to serve the city to the best of my ability.

Thos. F. Rafferty

Don't Overlook the Curtains

During These Spring House Cleaning Days Don't Overlook Those Curtains

We know the average woman just "loves" her Curtains, and is almost afraid to see them out of sight.

But you can trust the finest and most delicate Curtain or drape with us. We not only clean them, but also restore them to their dainty loveliness.

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Sale of REMEDIES

Aspirin, 100's, pure 5 grain.... 29c
16 ounce Milk Magnesia..... 29c
Rubbing Alcohol, 16 ounce..... 19c
16 ounce Imported Olive Oil..... 39c
25c Cold Tablets..... 19c
15c Spirits Camphor..... 11c

RUBBER GOODS

$1 Hot Water Bottle..... 79c
$1.25 2-qt. Syringe..... 98c
29c Adhesive Tape 5 yard long, 1 inch wide..... 19c
$1.25 9-inch Ice Bag..... 89c
50c Rubber Gloves..... 29c
Infant Syringes..... 25c and 19c

TOILETRIES

25c Cleansing Tissue..... 13c
25c McKesson Talcum Powder... 9c
50c Jonteel Cream 39c
$1 Shari face powd. 89c

DRUGS

Money-saving bargain prices on dependable quality drug items

Phone 10 for Delivery

35c Tooth Brush first quality 19c
$2.50 Bath Set Lavender $1.98
$1.50 Duska Compacts... 59c

Gold Fish FREE
with 50c package of Klenzo Tooth Paste

Witch Hazel 16 ounce..... 29c
$1 Cod Liver Oil..... 62c
Sanitary Napkins, 12's..... 13c

LOTIONS

LARGE KITE FREE
with 25c tube Milk of Magnesia Tooth Paste

Malone's Drug Store
Sikeston, Mo.

A&P's Spring Values are Here!

Talk about good news! These low grocery prices are good news—especially to thrifty housewives. Check this list and visit your nearby A&P early!

A&P ESTABLISHED 1859 WHERE ECONOMY RULES

Gold Medal **Softasilk** CAKE FLOUR PKG. 27c
For light fluffy cakes, and finest pies and pastries.

Gold Medal **Wheaties** 2 PKGS. 23c
An ideal energy food for growing children.

Bride's Size Bisquick 20-oz. pkg. 19c

Grandmother's **Raisin Bread** White or Bran 2 16-oz. Loaves 15c

Chipso 2 Lge. Pkgs. 29c
Camay 5 Cakes 25c
P&G SOAP 7 Lge. Bars 25c

MACARONI Encore Brand 5 8-oz. Pkgs. 25c
NORTHERN TISSUE 3 Rolls 17c
LUX FLAKES Lge. Pkg. 22c
PALMOLIVE Soap 3 Cakes 14c

UNDERWOOD Mustard Sardines ¾-Size Tin 12c

Week-end Specials!
IONA FAMILY FLOUR 24-lb. sack 75c

Pillsbury's Best, Gold Medal or Royal Patent Flour. 24-lb. sack $1.05

Navy Beans 7 Pounds 26c

Tune in the "A&P Minute Parade" 7:30 to 9:00 A. M. over KMOX Daily, except Sunday.

Eight O'clock COFFEE, lb. 19c
3 pounds 57c

Del Monte SPINACH 2 No. 2½ Cans 23c . 3 No. 2 Cans 29c
Del Monte FANCY PEAS . . 2 No. 2 Cans 27c
Special Low Price SUPER SUDS . . . 7c
Kellogg's CORN FLAKES 2 Pkgs. 23c
Surebit Sliced PINEAPPLE . . . 2 No. 2½ Cans 35c
Heinz Cucumber PICKLES . . . . . Jar 21c
Libby's CORNED BEEF . . . . Can 15c
Chamberlain's Perfect BIRD FOOD . . . Pkg. 22c

BEET SUGAR 100 lb. bag $4.75 10 lbs. Bulk 48c
Leaf Lettuce lb. 5c
HEAD LETTUCE 60 Size 2 Heads 15c
Onion Sets lb. 15c
ONION PLANTS 3 Bunches 25c

Swift's Woodlawn BACON Half or Whole Pound 13c
PURE LARD . 3 Pounds 25c

SLICED BACON lb. 19c
PIDNIC HAMS lb. 13½c
PORK LIVER lb. 10c
FRANKS 2 lbs. 25c
PORK RIBS 2 lbs. 25c
STEAK Round or Loin lb. 20c
CHUCK ROAST lb. 12½c
Stew Beef, plate 2 lbs. 15c
MINCE HAM 2 lbs. 27c
ROLL BUTTER lb. 25c

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. MID-WESTERN DIVISION

TO ORGANIZE FOR GREATER BUYING POWER

THROUGH their county corn-hog control associations, American farmers can follow the pathway to increased purchasing power for corn and hogs. Under the corn-hog reduction plan, they can organize to control production and they will receive the full benefits for their efforts.

Although the Agricultural Adjustment Administration is charged by law with the responsibility of directing the corn-hog reduction program, the actual sign-up of contracts and the local administration will be in the hands of the corn-hog control associations which will be organized in major corn-producing counties by contract signers. Each farmer who signs a reduction contract becomes a member of the association and is entitled to a vote in its affairs.

The Board of Directors of the County Corn-Hog Control Association will be composed of representatives from the various communities within the county, elected by contracting producers, themselves. In each community a permanent committee of three to five members also will be elected by farmers.

Shainberg's

After Easter Clearance

Silk Dresses

Wake up your wardrobe . . . cheer up your spirits . . . give everybody's eyes a treat with the smartest dresses ever fashioned! Every one skillfully cut, carefully styled, and beautifully finfshed. And that doesn't say anything about the fabrics. They're superb! Of such excellent quality you'd be willing to pay twice the price. So no matter what your wardrobe requirements, this is your clearance for every mode is admirably represented!

45 Silk Dresses Formerly $3.98, now **$1.99**

33 Silk Dresses Formerly $4.98, now **$2.99**

19 Silk Dresses Formerly $5.95, now **$3.49**

11 Silk Dresses Formerly $6.98, now **$3.99**

Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

Clarence and Norman Crumpecker, students of Central College, Fayttte, Mo., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Crumpecker, the week-end.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Proctor Sunday a son, who was named Franklin D.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards of Kennett visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards, Sunday.

Misses Lucille Parrish and Naline Holder shopped in Sikeston, Saturday.

Rev. Parrott preached his farewell sermon last Sunday at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and Misses Virginia Edwards and Eileen Menees shopped in Cape Girardeau, Saturday.

Mrs. Orval Sanders was called to Charleston last week due to the sudden illness of her aunt.

Miss Vanita Edwards transacted business in New Madrid, Friday.

The Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College Men's Glee Club of Cape Girardeau entertained the students at the local high school Monday afternon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Comer and Mrs. Harry Comer of Brazil, Ind., spent the week-end with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer.

W. O. Owen of St. Louis visited Miss Vanita Edwards, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schafer of Chicago, Ill., spent last week with the latter's brother, D. L. Fisher, and family.

The fellowship meeting of the Pentecostal Church was held here Sunday.

Mrs. Algie Fuller of Kennett is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Simmons.

Mrs. Flava Patterson and Mrs. N. J. Atkinson visited in St. Louis last week.

Rev. Parrott and family moved to Dexter, where he will become pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Glen Rhyons spent Sunday in Dexter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Giles.

Harry Haley from Berlington, Colo., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Wallace.

Mrs. Legant of Gideon is visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dunfee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer spent Sunday with their son, Henry Comer and family of Sikeston.

NUMEROUS INDIAN RELICS EXTANT IN SCOTT COUNTY

Scott County is rich in Indian relics. iss Anna MRandol, director of county studies, has already discovered numerous collections in her trips throughout this section in an effort to gather data concerning Indian history and civilization. And the fact of the former presence of many Indians near here is daily and increasingly established by her discovery of mounds, camps, and village sites. When it is completed, the whole, comprehensive archeological survey of Scott County will be sent to the State director of studies.

Numerous people of this district who have themselves made valuable collections over a period of years have shown interest in the possible formation later of an archeological society to be composed of persons acquainted with Indian lore.

One man, 90 years old, rented a farm near Buckeye sixty years ago primarily to excavate on it for relics. In the mounds, numbering eleven, of which three are fairly large, he found several well preserved skulls, with the teeth still in tact, and on either side of each one, a piece of pottery, supposed to have contained food for the person buried, but now filled with dirt. Two curious facts were noted by this man. The dirt used to construct the mounds was foreign to the locality since it contained some clay; and the bones of several skeletons were not red enough, the man thought, to have been those of Isdians. The solutions to these minor mysteries were probably carried away with the Indians when they left this country almost 100 years ago, and scholars can now only hazard guesses concerning them.

Also in the mounds the man found numerous well-shaped and exactly proportioned images of people, about a foot high and fashioned from clay. These and pottery he sold to a trader of Charleston who periodically drove to the farm in his buggy, paying $5 for each noteworthy specimen.

On this farm as well, is still outlined the site of an Indian fort, a relic which has remained in a corn field through many years, surviving the blades of plow and harrow.

Another man, a farmer located ne ariner Switch, has during the course of about six years collected more than 1000 arrowheads within an area of a square mile. They are of various sizes and shapes, suitable to the uses to which they were put. Another has a primitive hoe, made of flint; still another has located evidence of camp sites near two springs. On the farm of one man are blowouts, or mounds whose tops have been swept away during sandstorms, into which a person may descend and walk about. And almost all who have had an interest in relics possess specimen of tomahawks, pottery and arrowheads.

Charleston, April 3.—One of the most important betrothal announcements made in this city in many months was that of Miss Elaine McDowell, only daughter of Senator and Mrs. J. C. McDowell of this city, to Mr. Jack H. Denny, son of the Hon. J. H. Denny and the late Mrs. Denny of Glasgow, Missouri.

The news was disclosed at a beautifully appointed dinner given Friday evening, March 30, at the home of Senator and Mrs. McDowell on Hunter Street. The wedding date was not disclosed.

The bride-to-be is a charming member of the younger society set of this city. She was reared here and received her education in the Charleston Public Schools. Following her graduation from Charleston high school in 1921, she attended the State Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau and is now a Junior in the School of Arts at the University of Missouri.

Miss McDowell is a member of one of the most prominent families of Southeast Missouri, her distinguished father being widely known throughout the State.

Mr. Denny is a member of one of the pioneer families of Howard County, his family is one of prominence throughout Northern Missouri, being specially noted as a family of lawyers, his grandfather, father and brothers all being members of the profession. He is a graduate of Central College, Fayette, Mo., and is now a Senior in the School oof Law at the University of Missouri and will receive his degree in June. He is a member of the Delta Theta Phi fraternity.

YOUNG-NOBLE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Noble announce the marriage of their daughter, Roberta, to Mr. Albert W. Young, of Chicago. The marriage took place in Chicago Monday, April 2, in the presence of a fe wfriends. Father J. Cummings of St. Mary's of the Lake Catholic church officiated.

The bride was dressed in an afternoon gown of navy crepe d'taffeta with matching accessories. Her attendant, Miss Winifred Riley of Chicago, wore an afternoon dress of light green sheer. Mr. Young was attended by Mr. Edw. Meiers, of Chicago.

Mr. Young is an advertising executive and is widely known in politics.

Following the ceremony the couple left for a wedding trip to Bermuda.

They will be at home at the Sheldrake Apts. in Chicago, after May 1.

Friends and acquaintances in Sikeston wisn Miss Roberta and her husband long life and much happiness.

TWO MILLION JOBS

How would you like to help provide the nation with two million jobs—and all the spending power that goes with them? You'd like it of course. And the way you can do it is by repairing and building—no matter how small the amount spent or how large. In normal times construction employs well over a million men in the actual work of building. The industries providing supplies and materials supply a million more. And home-building, which has almost disappeared, accounts for 50 per cent of the entire construction industry. If you build or repair now it means that you are doing your bit toward recovery—and obtaining something valuable for much less than it will cost in the future.

Renovize

Change Your Outlook:

Put fresh paper in that living room—a new bath fixture—an extra cabinet . . . a coat of paint in the kitchen.

And, modernize your lighting, for your health's sake for your child's sake.

Bad Lighting, at Home, Has Ruined Many a Child's Schoolroom Standing

GOOD LIGHT—

Reduces Irritability . . . Reduces Fatigue
Reduces Failure

Spend Your Money for Cosmetics Look Your Best

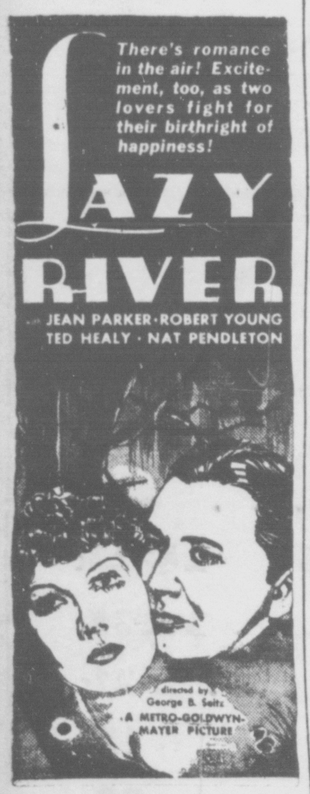
Nothing is too good for you . . . preserve the results with good lighting,

BOOST SIKESTON

Board of Public Works

MALONE THEATRE

Thursday and Friday
April 5 and 6
Matinee 2:30 Friday



Also
PARAMOUNT SOUND NEWS
and
Bing Crosby in
"JUST AN ECHO"

MALONE THEATRE

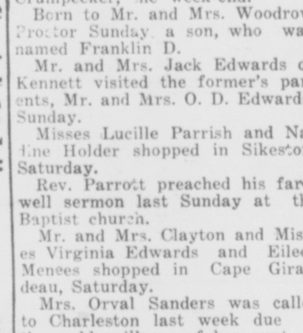
Saturday Only
April 7
Continuous Show 1:30 to 11 p. m.

W. C. FIELDS
in
"You're Telling Me"

with
John Marsh and Buster Crabbe
Also
Terry-Toon
"RI PVAN WINKLE"
and
Episode No. 10—
"PIRATE TREASURE"
with Richard Talmadge and Lucille Lund

MALONE THEATRE

Sunday and Monday
April 8 and 9
Afternoon and Evening



It's tough to be a bad boy in love with a good dame!

SYLVIA SIDNEY
FREDRIC MARCH
IN
"GOOD DAME"

a B. P. Schulberg production
A Paramount Picture

Also
PARAMOUNT SOUND NEWS
and
Patricia Ellis and Allen Jenkins
in
" 'TIS SPRING"

I Appreciate Your Support

I am taking this means of assisting me to personally thank the voters for the confidence they placed in me by electing me City Attorney.

I pledge the best of my ability in taking care of the city's legal affairs.

Robt. A. Dempster
City Attorney

THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to the voters who supported me so loyally in the election for Chief of Police.

Inasmuch as I conducted only a personal campaign without paid workers, advertising or other means usually employed, I am doubly grateful for my election, which I feel I owe to the support and efforts of real friends who approve of my efforts and policies in the affairs of city government.

I believe that the officials elected with me are men of ability and good judgment and I feel that the best interests of the city will be carefully guarded during the coming two years.

As heretofore, I shall give my best efforts to the performance of my duties and conscientiously endeavor to work for the best interests of our city.

WALTER KENDALL
Chief of Police

Accounts of New Madrid Earthquake Preserved

Comparatively little is known about the New Madrid earthquake which began in the last part of 1811 and extended with decreasing violence for several years following. It is said that numerous reliable records concerning the tremors have been either lost or destroyed, and in general scholars must now rely upon the accounts of persons who witnessed them.

The earthquakes have interested people of this country, partly, at least, because no similar disturbances were known either before or after those which began in 1811. Most scientists believe they were produced during a readjustment of the fault lines of the Ozarks. But the Indians of the region are said to have thought the earth trembled before the anger of the Master of Life, whose wrath followed the shooting of his son by some braves.

The earthquake centered around New Madrid, but a total area of one million square miles was so disturbed that vibrations could be felt without the aid of instruments. The New Madrid region was, of course, most affected chiefly topographically; for although the fatalities were not excessively large, fissures were formed, varying greatly in size, new lakes were made by the sinking of the earth and others were obliterated when the ground rose and drained their waters. On the Mississippi great waves were created, and the waters, pushed by some force from below, seemed to flow backwards. Boats sank and timber rose in such quantities that logs almost completely covered the surface of the water. And the river course was somewhat changed when high banks caved in and were washed away.

It is said that one family had, mounted on a post, a plantation bell which rang at each tremor. From December 16, 1811 to the middle of March of the following year, this bell sounded each day, and sometimes it rang continuously for hours.

The most graphic descriptions of the earthqakes, however, are found in the accounts of witnesses to th eevents. One of these, Mrs. Eliza Bryan, wrote presumably to a friend when the quakes had almost stopped, and her statements are therefore probably authentic. Mrs. Bryan's granddaughter, Mrs. Mary Eliza Howard, wife of Judge James H. Howard of New Madrid, furnished a writer for the New Madrid Record the facts of her ancestor's life, which were published in that newspaper, along with the letter, during the last decade of the nineteenth century.

Mrs. Bryan was born in Pennsylvania May 10, 1780, but moved a short time later to Kentucky. Because of troublesome Indians her father, Azor Reese, emigrated not long after to New Madrid, where he settled. The place then had a large fort under the command of Spaniards, and at the time the Reeses moved to New Madrid there were no American families living in the district. Mrs. Bryan frequently said before her death in 1866 that she had never seen a United States flag until after the Louisiana purchase.

Excerpts from Mrs. Bryan's letter follow:

New Madrid, Territory of Mo.,
March 22, 1816

On the 16th of Decmeber, 1811, about 2 o'clock a. m., we were visited by a violent shock of an earthquake, accompanied by a very awful noise resembling loud, distant thunder, but more hoarse and vibrating, which was followed in a few minutes by a complete saturation of the atmosphere with sulphurous vapor causing total darkness.

The screams of the affrighted inhabitants running to and fro, not knowing where to go, or what to do; the cries of fowls and the beasts of every species; the cracking of trees falling, and the roaring of the Mississippi, the current of which retrograded for a few minutes, owing as is supposed, to an eruption in its bed; all formed a scene truly horrible. From that time until about sunrise a number of lighter shocks occurred, at which time one still more violent than the first took place, with the same accompaniments as the first, and the terror which had been excited in every one, and indeed in all animal nature, was now, if possible, doubled. The inhabitants fled in every direction to the country, supposing that there was less danger at a distance from, than near the river.

There were several shocks of a day but lighter than those mentioned until the 23d of January, 1812, when one occurred as violent as the severest of the former ones, accompanied by the same phenomena as the former. From this time until the 4th of February the earth was in continual agitation, visibly waving as a gentle sea. On that day there was another shock nearly as hard as the preceding ones. Next day four shocks and on the 7th about 4:00 o'clock a. m. a concussion took place so much more violent than those which had preceded it that it was denominated the hard shock. The awful darkness of the atmosphere which was as formerly saturated with sulphurous vapor, and the violence of the tempestuous thundering noise that accompanied it, together with all the other phenomenas mentioned, formed a scene the description of which required the most sublimely fanciful imagination. At first the Mississippi seemed to recede from its banks and its waters gathered up like a mountain, leaving for a moment many boats on the bare sand, in which time the poor sailors made their escape from them. It then was seen rising fifteen or twenty feet perpendicularly and expanding, as it were at the same moment, the banks were overflowed with a retrograde current rapid as a torrent. The boats which before had been left on the sand were now torn from their moorings and suddenly driven up a creek at the mouth of which they laid. The river falling as rapidly as it had risen receded within its banks again with such violence that it took with it whole groves of young cottonwood trees which ledged its border.

In all the hard shocks mentioned the earth was horribly torn to pieces; the surface of hundreds of acres was from time to time covered over, of various depth, by sand which issued from the fissures which were made in great numbers all over this country, some of which closed up immediately after they had vomited forth their sands and water. In some places, however, there was a substnace somewhat resembling coal or impure stone coal thrown up with the sands. The site of this town was evidently settled down fifteen feet. Lately it has been discovered that a lake was formed on the opposite side of the Mississippi river in the Indian country upwards of one hundred miles in length and from one to six miles in width, of the depth of from ten to fifty feet.

We were constrained by the fear of our houses falling to live twelve or eighteen months, after the first shocks, in little light camps made of boards; but we gradualy became callous and returned to our houses again. We have slight shocks occasionally. It is seldom we are more than a week without feeling one and sometimes thre or four in a day. There were two this winter past much harder than we have felt them for two years before. Since they appear to be lighter, and we begin to hope that ere long they will entirely cease.

There is one circumstance worthy of remark; this country was subject to very hard thunder, but for twelve months before the earthquakes there was none at all, and but very little since.

Your Humble Servant,
ELIZA BRYAN

The Great American Gamble

The Travelers Insurance Company has issued a booklet entitled "The Great American Gamble". It consists of an analysis of the automobile accident problem, along with graphic illustrations of the price we pay for allowing carelessness, incompetence and recklessness to run riot on our highways.

Last year automobiles killed 29,200 people and injured 840,000. The record of fatalities on a per accident basis was 5.9 per cent greater than in 1932. Excessive speed was the main cause of death, closely followed by driving on wrong side of road, carelessnesses on part of pedestrians, running off the roadway, passing on hills, curves, etc.

Some of the most vivid illustrations in the booklet deal with the potential destructive power of an automobile. A car going 40 miles an hour, for example, is four times as capable of inflicting damage as one going twenty. At 60 miles an hour damage becomes nine times as great. A car moving at this last speed has the same capacity for damage as if it were driven off a building 120 feet high.

To use another illustration, a car going 20 miles an hour occupies 38 fee of roadway in addition to its length. A car going 60 occpies 263 feet stopping distance.

The horror of the automobile problem continues to grow. We have safer roads and cars but we have so exaggerated the safety margins that we have actually made them more dangerous. The American highway is a shambles. Every reckless or incompetent driver and every car which is in a dangerous condition, menaces hundreds of lives.

LICENSE INCREASE SHOWN

Five hundred and fifty-nine State license plates have been sold since March 20, acording to figures released at Arthur's Cities Service Station, agent for the plates. Up to Tuesday night a total of 4846 had been sold, making the number for 1934 exceed last year's by 1966, since on April 3, 1933, only 2880 had been purchased.

March 15th, 1934

NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF THE SIKESTON TRUST COMPANY OF SIKESTON, MISSOURI

All persons who may have claims against the Sikeston Trust Company of Sikeston, Missouri, are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned and make proper proof thereof within four months from the above date at the banking room of said bank in Sikeston, Missouri, and they are further notified that the last date for presenting said proofs will be Monday, July 16, 1934.

O. H. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Finance of the State of Missouri, in charge of the business and property of said Sikeston Trust Company, Sikeston, Missouri.
By J. S. Wallace, Special Deputy Commissioner in charge.
Friday to June 15, '34

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Congress—

We are authorized to announce Dr. Z. Lee Stokely, of Poplar Bluff, as a candidate for Congress from this district subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary election.

For Circuit Judge—

We are authorized to announce Frank Kelly as a candidate for Judge of the 28th Judicial Circuit subject to the will of the voters of the August primary.

DR. M. L. NAPPER
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Charles Chaney underwent an operation in a Cairo hospital Monday morning for appendicitis and gall stones. He is reported as getting along nicely.

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No doubt this was co-incidence. But first appearing, as it did, on election day, which was heralded by a great deal of growling from both sides of the fence, the sign might by some be thought to have a double meaning. It is probably only a permanent and clever bit of advertising however. painted on the side of the Wolf House Furnishing Company's new building.

TO THE VOTERS OF SIKESTON

By your confidence and vote of approval to my candidacy for election to the office of Mayor of the City of Sikeston you have shown that you desire an

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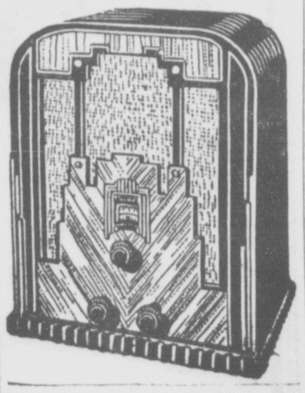

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Personal News of Sikeston

By Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Mrs. Buck Sitzes, Mrs. Maude Sitzes and Mrs. J. T. Stevens spent Thursday afternoon in Cape Girardeau.

Miss Dessie Hydrick left yesterday for a two months' visit with relatives in Arkansas. Miss Freda Lankford is working at the office at the Hahs Machine Works during Miss Hydrick's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Woolard Baker are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter born last Friday night, March 30.

A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trousdale last week.

Giles Dover of New Jersey was a visitor to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dover, during the Easter holidays.

At the regular weekly bingo party Wednesday afternoon, bridge will also be played and the ladies are cordially invited.

A banquet for the CWA of Scott County was held Thursday night at Ancell. John J. Miller was honor guest. Among those from Sikeston attending were: Mr. and Mrs. John A. Young, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett, Edward Fuchs, Jr., Tharon Stallings, and Misses Martha Harrison and Tylene Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mow and Miss Laura Jo Smith accompanied on Tuesday to Fulton, Mo., Miss Marjorie Mow, Miss Elizabeth Schultzke and Edward Allard, where Misses Mow and Schultzke attend the Williams Woods College and Mr. Allard, Westminster College. The students had spent the Easter holidays here with their parents. Miss Schultzke is Miss Mow's room-mate.

Bob Beaird, who is confined to his home on account of sickness, is reported to be mending slowly.

Mrs. L. T. Davey went to St. Louis Wednesday morning for medical examination. A letter received yesterday morning stated that she would return home Sunday. Mrs. Ben Morris is at the L. T. Davey office during Mrs. Davey's absence.

Mrs. J. B. Campbell, Clint and Miss Effie Campbell were in Cape Girardeau Wednesday, where they visited with Mrs. B. F. Marshall and Miss Kate Austin. They report that Mrs. Marshall will enter the Southeast Missouri Hospital next Tuesday for an operation. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Northington and family, who are in Mississippi, will arrive Saturday to visit Mrs. Marshall, mother of Mrs. Northington. Mr. and Mrs. Reese Marshall fo Los Angeles, Calif., who are visiting with Mrs. Marshall's parents in Caruthersville, will return to the Cape the latter part of this week to visit again with his sisters.

Mrs. Ben Morrison and Miss Ina Gipson were in Cape Girardeau, last Saturday.

Among those in Cape Girardeau Wednesday, were: Mrs. A. A. Mayfield, Mrs. Reevie Smith, Mrs. Murray Klein, Mrs. W. A. Anthony Mrs. J. W. Baker, Sr., Mrs. Lacy Allard, Mrs. Birch Moll, Mrs. Margaret Harper, Miss Florence Baker, Mrs. Bill Baker and Mrs. Puffy French.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grojean and sons of ..Mattoon, Ill., and Miss Emma Grojean of St. Louis visited here last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hirschberg and family. Later all went to Dexter, where they visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. D. E. Grojean.

Mrs. M. Borowsky, who has been visiting the past four months in New York City, will arrive here the last of the week to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. I. Becker, and family. Mr. Borowsky, of Manila, Ark., will join his wife here Sunday, returning to their home that evening.

Mrs. Norma Davis, Mrs. I. H. Dunaway, Mrs. Bettie Matthews, of Sikeston; Mrs. Marvin McMullin of Columbus, Ohio and Miss Suzanna Corrigan of Poplar Bluff returned Wednesday from a three months' stay at Miami, Fla., with Mesdames Davis and McMullin's sister, Mrs. W. M. Sheldon. While in Florida they also visited a number of other places. Enroute home they visited at Tampa, with Mrs. Earl Riga and family and Paul Denman. Mrs. Riga is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Chaney, while r. Denman is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Denman of this city. A very enjoyable trip is reported by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morrison and children left for their home at Kansas City, Sunday, after a few days' visit here with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Morrison, Sikeston, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Haman of Buckeye. Mrs. Paul Galloway, who had been visiting her brother and family accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Alperin returned to their home in St. Louis, Sunday, after a few days' visit here with I. Becker and family. Miss Edith Becker, who spent the Easter holidays here with her parents, went as far as St. Louis, on her return trip to Columbia, Mo., where she is attending the Missouri University.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Stoner of Springfield are expected this week to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis. From Sikeston, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Stoner and Mrs. Marvin McMullin will go to Vincennes, Ind., for a visit. From Vincennes, Mrs. McMullin will go on to her home at Columbus, Ohio.

An Eastern Star school of instruction will be held in Chaffee next Wednesday afternoon and night. Miss Nell Page of Canton, Mo., grand lecturer, will conduct the school. The Sikeston Chapter will be represented.

Lon Nall and family moved Tuesday to the Mrs. Lou Greer property on Sikes avenue. Marshall Myers and family, who are now located in the Murray Q. formerly lived in the Greer house Tanner home.

Edgar Scholl and Adolph Schenider of Creve Coeur, Mo., were the week-end guests of Miss Mildred Shuffit and Miss Annetta Kindred of this city.

Miss Mildred Chuffit entertained at 6 o'clock dinner at her home on Murray Lane Sunday evening. Covers were laid for Miss Annetta Kindred, Adolph Schneider, Miss Lela Mae Noyes, Clyde Pool, Miss Mildred Shuffit and Edgar Scholl.

Miss Virgina Mills of Malden will spend this week-end with Miss Mayme Jean Wilbur of this city.

Anouncement has been received by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur of the birth of a grandson, Robert Milton, Jr., born to their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wilbur of Plant City, Fla. Bob is a former Sikeston boy, and Mrs. Wilbur is the former Miss Elsie Greene of Plant City. Bob, Jr., was born at the Morell Memorial Hospital at Lakeland, Fla., March 30.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rice and little son, Bernard, of Pahokee, Fla., and Mrs. Watts Crowell of this city, were guests at a six o'clock dinner Sunday at the J. H. Wilbur home. Mr. Rice is a nephew of Mrs. Wilbur.

Mrs. W. E. Derris, Jr., was granted a divorce at Caruthersville last Saturday from W. E. Derris, r., of Sikeston, her maiden name of Katie Fullenwider being resumed. The divorce was not contested.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE TONIGHT

The Baptist Associational Sunday School Conference meets tonight (Friday) 7:30 o'clock at New Bethel Church.

Subject of program, "Using the Standard of Excellence For Spiritual Ends". There will be four talks, namely: "The Necessity of Having a Standard", "The Purpose of the Standard", "Interpretation of the Standard of Excellency', and "How May We Have More Standard Sunday Schools in This Association". Mrs. Leslie Garrison of this city will be one of the speakers.

The church here urges a large representation of the officers and teachers to be present at this conference.

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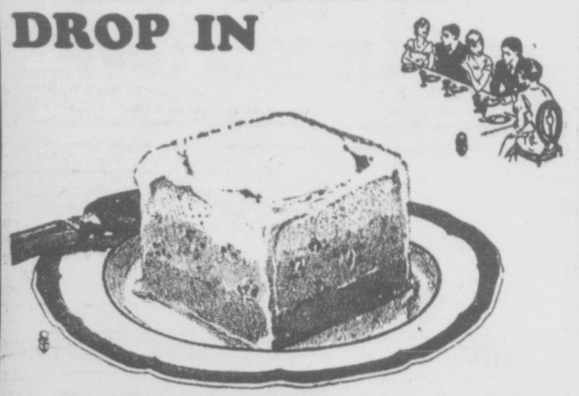

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POTATOES No. 2, 15 pound peck 25c
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PRUNES 80-90 size 3 pounds 25c
CHUCK ROAST Armour's Pound 7½c
COFFEE H&K Lb. jar 25c
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CANDY BARS Regular 5c seller 2 bars 5c
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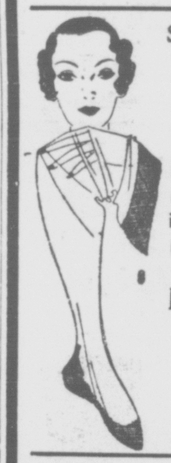

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Men's Genuine Calf Leather Dress Oxfords
The equal of many $4 and $5 Shoes
The genuine "Walk-About" Shoe with genuine oak leather soles and leather insoles. In all sizes.
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THE EDITOR SAYS—

The Standard editor hadn't expected to have anything ugly or personal to say about any candidate during this campaign, but the last minute liar is abroad and has mixed our name up in a way that we don't like and we propose to reset it in a way through this column. Over in Ward 4 workers for Ed Fuchs through his agents, henchmen, or himself, are putting out the information that if Dr. Presnell is elected, the Board of Public Works will be discontinued and the management of the system placed in the hands of a committee of Aldermen appointed by the Mayor who will have the handling of the finances of the city, and they are aiming to leave the impression the committe will rob the city. The law of the city calls for a non-partisan board consisting of four members and until that law is removed from the books, the Mayor can do nothing, and Dr. Presnell has stated he favored the Board of Public Works and that it was a law. If Ed Fuchs is responsible for his aids putting out this lie, and even countenances same, he is unworthy of the office and should be beaten. Over in Ward 3 the story is that if Dr. Presnell is elected Mayor, he will be ruled by The Standard editor. This would be fine if it could be true as we would certainly pay a few debts.

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Of possible interest to some people here is the recent declaration of a District of Columbia supreme court justice that Mexican divorces, granted when neither party is in Mexico, "are invalid and void as to residents of the United States". His ruling followed the suit for maintenance by a woman whose husband had divorced her in Juarez and married another woman. The man now possesses two wives and one worthless Mexican decree.

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See where a former employee of the Dexter Statesman has gone into the funeral directing business. He might begin practicing on the editor of that flamboyant sheet, who has for a long time been dead from the neck up—only he hasn't realized it yet.—Caruthersville Democrat.

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In another column is a story from the Cape Missourian in regard to the Graphic Arts Code under which country printing offices operate. We wish to call the attention of our readers, and especially our merchants, to this article, as it has to do with a cost system of all the output of a country newspaper and job shop. It is to do away with cut-throat methods and give a man living wages for what he does.

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The past several days nave been busy ones for our local candidates and their political friends. Quite a bit of wild and foolish talk has been made by some that will do them no good. There are few men ever run for office but what some talk is made about them. That is one reason we have never been a candidate for office in any community where we lived. There is more or less talk about our local candidates now in the field, but pay no attention to it as every one of them is a good citizen and tomorrow you will regret having listened to any idle talk. Vote for whom you please and it will be all right here.

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Simon Loebe paid the editor a short visit Sunday afternoon and was looking very well but was weak. He spent the past four weeks at Hot Springs and expects to go to St. Louis in a few days for a thorough examination. He thinks his gall ducts is giving him trouble. Here's hoping he will soon be in good health.

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For the benefit of inquiring friends will say we attended the picture show "Bolero", featuring Sally Rand in her fan dance. The fans looked pretty good but Sally cavorted around so fast and used the fans at the wrong time, that we couldn't see whether she looked pretty good or not.

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It is a wonder some of these bright Government agents who are running over the country trying to tell the farmers what to do, doesn't have all the male pigs of the corn belt meet with these agents and a veterinarian and try to settle the question of overproduction of pork.

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Charley Blanton of The Sikeston Standard has been editor of that ebullient journal for 21 years. "It was our first experience of editing and publishing a newspaper, and whether or not we have succeeded is for the readers to say". Well, sir, you have done well. The Standard is newsy, breezy. attractive, popular and soundly Democratic. As for Colonel Charley himself, he has made a lasting name in journalism—no other editor on earth has so thoroughly qualified himself to pass judgment on fan dances and fan dancers, as well as intimately related subjects. If Colonel Charley were to retire from the field, we would feel that a great void had come into our life. He lives too close to Sir Edmund Crowe to be infallibly uprighteous, but, considering this proximity, he has made a fine record. Long may he wave.—Missouri Democrat.

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Moonlight on lagoonns under a star-studded sky brought them knowledge of love.—Malone Thea-

Suspected Killers of Green Still at Large

Officers are still hunting for Don Vinyard and Fred Adams, who live near Rector, Ark., to question them concerning the killing of Clarence Green, night marshal of Campbell, who was fatally shot Wednesday night as he chased three suspiciously acting men into a clump of woods near Campbell. Suspicion is directed toward Vinyard because his automobile was found in Campbell after the slaying. Adams is said to have been with him.

Raymond Young, who was caught at his home in Rector Thursday, is now in a Southeast Missouri jail and will be charged with complicity in the crime as well as in the robbing a week ago of two stores in Advance.

Funeral services for Green were held Sunday afternoon at the Assembly of God Church in Campbell. Green is survived by his wife, thre small children, and his parents, all of Campbell.

Sikeston Airport Will Be Dedicated July 3-4

The Sikeston municipal airport will be dedicated with an air meet to be held on July 3 and 4. Preliminary arrangements are now being made by Earl Johnson supervisor of the airport, to bring flyers and ships here for the program, which will include various contests among airmen, exhibition flying, parachute leaps, and a boys' model airplane competition.

More than half the work necessary to complete the airport has already been done, and as soon as the field is finished, about May 1, it will be used by mail and passenger lines.

At a meeting March 20, the five men appointed by Mayor N. E. Fuchs to serve on a newly-formed aviation board chose their officers. Members of the board and their positions are: Chairman, Hubert Boyer, representing the City of Sikeston; secretary, J. E. Harper, representing the Chamber of Commerce; treasurer, Clay Mitchell, representing the Lions Club; airport supervisor, Earl Johnson, representing the Henry Meldrum Post 114 of the American Legion, and technician, Leonard McMullin, representing the Scott County Court.

Plan of Employment To Follow the CWA

Jefferson City, March 30.—A relief program supplanting the civil works program and providing just enough employment to meet budgetary needs of persons on relief rolls was announced last night by Wallace Crossley, State relief director.

The new program, which may not continue longer than a month, is expected to enable counties to complete many CWA projects already under way. A minimum wage of 30 cents an hour will be paid and county committees will be permitted to rotate employment so as to aid al their needy citizens.

To organize the program, Crossley said, a recess of one week will be taken after conclusion of the civil works program, which ends Saturday.

Within a few days, he said, allotments and instructions on setting up county work organizations will be sent out. County committees must determine eligibility for employment on the basis of relief needs.

New Madrid County Superintendent's News

Milus R. Davis

Last week we received another "mess" of Federal Blanks to fill out regarding the financial status of districts needing Federal Aid to finish the legal term of school. This makes the fourth set of blanks and stemming the tide of this raging sea of technical data has made the writer begin to show his age despite his zealous desire to retain his youthful status.

In our February requisitions we asked for Federal Aid for some schools which, under these latest requisitions, will not be entitled to aid since they now have enough money on hand to pay teachers in full. The government will see that all teachers are paid in full this year which we appreciate, even though it does mean a lot of filling blanks.

On April 3 the citizens of this democracy will meet in their respective districts to select directors whose duty it will be to make every effort to have the best possible school on the amount of available money.

We have complaints occasionally that school boards are squandering public money and are not working to the interest of all concerned. But why should this happen in a democracy Are not the people clothed with the sole and exclusive right to select board members who will conduct the school's business on a high moral plane?

Then if these voters are careless and do not exercise their prerogative in choosing directors of the highest type, who is to blame? Should not the voters themselves assume the blame when they display the indifferent attitude of voting carelessly or staying at home and not voting at all?

We urge every sincere patron to go to the school election Tuesday and vote conscientiously. Let us show to the world that our democracy is able to produce efficiency and justice. It is better to vote itelligently now than to complain later.

Each year we are faced with many embarrassing questions concerning the anti-nepotism law and before this comes up again we wish to tell you all we know about it so that we shall not be accused of taking sides when the squabble is at its hottest. The supreme court has ruled that any board member automatically disqualifies himself when he votes for a relative as teacher whether the relative be by blood or marriage. Rullaw, have been made by the attorney general and the State department but the supreme court of Missouri has passed only on the one point mentioned above. This supreme court ruling was made within the last year.

The writer enjoyed meeting with the citizens of the Barnes Ridge school Friday, March 23, as well as the delicious dinner prepared by the good housewives. Mrs. Aleene LaPlant, the teacher, presented a brief progrm and Supt. B. F. Laws of East Prairie and the writer exposed some of their philosophy in short talks.

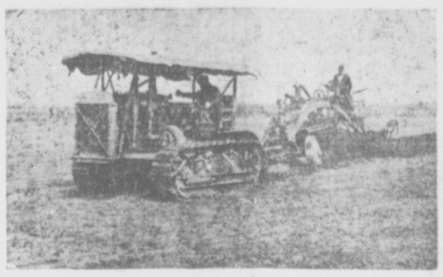
Pressley Miller, teacher of Cade School, tells us that his closed on March 22 and that a nice crowd was present. A conflict in dates prevented the writer from attending, which we regret.

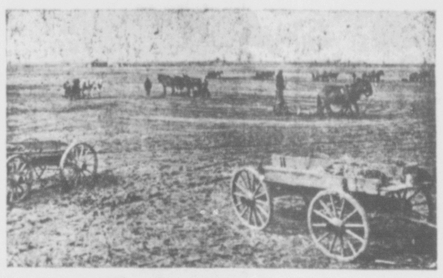
The second payment of State-aid has just been made as follows:

LaForge	$ 319.98
Linda	160.85
O'Bannon	137.79
LaFont	55.15
Barnes Ridge	55.72
Cade	76.92
Higgerson	56.58
Dawson	113.30
Pleasant Valley	156.27
Hough	7.06
Kendall	45.69
Union Grove	77.63
Oak Island	76.63
Pt. Pleasant	264.55
Fairview	185.20
Scott	234.33
Boekerton	239.06
Walnut Grove	169.73
York	155.70
Sugar Tree	79.35
Bowman	55.00
Wilburn	61.02
Philips	123.32
St. Mary	150.54
Tinsley	74.05
Broadwater	615.77
Matthews	2207.10
Canalou	1426.18
Conran	895.64
Kewanee	1191.14
Parma	1801.17
Risco	2480.24
Portageville	1811.63
New Madrid	2506.71
Marston	918.42
Lilbourn	3421.86
Morehouse	1812.34
Gideon	3830.23

This payment amounts to 14.3% whereas we only expected about 10%. Last September we received 15.2% which together with this payment makes a total of 29¼% for the year. Next year we expect about 45 or 50 per cent of

LEVELING THE GROUND





Courtesy of Southeast Missouri Telephone News

Here CWA workers are shown grading the land for Sikeston's municipal airport, which will be located a mile east of town. Twenty drivers with teams and shovels and men operating a large tractor began March 2 to prepare the ground. The work is now more than half completed.

The Farmer, The Railroad The City Man

By John T. Stinson

Where there is a lack of interest in agriculture on the part of the business men in any town, agriculture in that immediate vicinity is sorry indeed. So it doesn't require an extraordinary amount of brains to gather that where the two work hand in hand—the farmer and the city man—a greater sense of well being, happiness and contentment is prevalent.

We of the Missouri Pacific Lines, and especially of the Agricultural Development Department, know that when we want to get a message to the farmer we must have the co-operation of all agencies, and that we cannot secure results without first enlisting the whole-hearted support of the business men.

When L. W. Baldwin came to the Missouri Pacific as its president in 1923 he quite fully realized that the vast territory traversed by the railroad was agricultural, so he immediately set out to develop it further in the way best suited. No time was lost in employing a force of agricultural men, men who had studied the science in the best colleges of the country, men who had also had experience among the farmers, and who could talk the farmer's language as well as convince any group of business men of the importance of agriculture to business and vice versa.

Last fall, an article entitled "It's Peach Festival Time", appeared in a southern newspaper. It called attention to the Fifth Annual Celebration of Crowley's Ridge in eastern Arkansas, commemorating the time when peaches began to be grown on a large scale. Notwithstanding the fact that a peach orchard, planted 35 years ago, had proved successful from the start, the farmers as a whole seemed to have a cotton complex and did not take up peach growing until county agents and other agricultural agents began to advocate it.

Our department did play a leading part in putting this peach growing program over; it was one of our earlier projects. But our help was not sufficient. Everyone on Crowley's Ridge became interested in its success; they all saw what it would mean. The railroad was interested, because it meant more carloads—inbound and outbound; the farmer, because it meant an added source of revenue as well as getting away from the one crop system—cotton; and most certainly the busines man, because the towns on Crowley's Ridge are dependent upon the farmer for their business. Naturally, they all three joined hands.

Mr. Baldwin and a retinue of officials made a special trip down the Ridge to present the importance of this industry to the people. He and others of his staff, and leading business men, made talks at the principal towns from Paragould to Helena. All civic organizations, chambers of commerce, Rotary, Lions and other clubs, responded in a united effort to make this occasion worth while, looking to future benefits, not only for the farmer but for all. A holiday was declared and the farmers, business men, school children, everyone turned out en masse to get behind this project.

Today [illegible] trees, scattered over 5000 acres, which sometimes bring as much as $300 to $400 an acre. Figure it out for yourself! You will agree that this amount of purchasing power placed in a farming section sixty miles in length and a few miles wide is indeed quite worth while. Unified effort put it over.

Primarily, our department advocates getting away from only one pay-day for the farmer, and this can only be done through diversification. We don't try to tell the farmer what to do; he knows his business, but we do want to work with him and endeavor to impress upon him the value of improved methods for growing the best adapted crops.

The "Exhibit Train" is a most effective method of reaching the farmer. Since the organization of our department, exhibit trains have been a regular part of our program. We have the necessary equipment, exhibits, etc., and the qualified men to put over the technical knowledge and ideas, but we don't "go it" alone.

First, we enlist the support of the Agricultural Extension Service of the State or States through which the train is to operate; second, the U. S. Department of Agriculture, whenever possible, is invited to participate; third, industries, directly interested in agriculture, which might have new and improved methods with reference to the particular program we endeavor to put over, are always glad to be represented, and last and of great importance are the business men of the towns at which the train will stop.

I hasten to add, however, that it is very rare that the business men do not want to help put our program over. To the contrary they are most insistent in their demands that we stop at their town and, as there is always keen rivalry, each town always tries to outdo its neighbor. Therefore, everyone pitches in, forms committees, and all go to great length to make our visit a celebrated occasion. Farmers come from miles around and the whole town turns out. There are parades, attendance prizes are offered, stores have special sales; there is special entertainment.

From 1925 to 1931 we have operated a total of twenty-six exhibit trains, covering many vital subjects in farming. Nearly five hundred thousand people have attended our lectures and viewed our exhibits, and it must be borne in mind that these are not merely curiosity seekers, but those who are dependent upon farming for their livelihodo, and who naturally display a profound interest in our programs and exhibits.

Of course, economic conditions during the last three years have generally wrought havoc in all fields of endeavor. That story is only too well known to all of us. But the new day is on its way; in fact it's almost here, and, as goes agriculture, so goes the nation. The root of the situation lies in agriculture. The farmer keeps the rest of the country alive. Hence, it behooves all industry to co-operate with the farmer. By co-operation I mean not merely trying to appear interested in the farmer simply as a means of an outlet for whatever goods may be sold him, but an active, working to[illegible] program.

Plans Are Completed for Election Day Here

Three dpeuty sheriffs, for each of the four wards, approved by Judge Frank Kelly of the Scott County Ciricuit Court and sworn in by the County Clerk, will be in Sikeston today to supervise the election, making certain that there are no repeaters and that no out-of-town negroes are brought here to vote.

The campaign, the liveliest and fiercest this town has seen for numerous years, has gradually reached a peak of intensity. Campaign cards have been distributed throughout the residential districts, and bills containing promises, accusations and answers have been circulated by persons interest in the most hotly contested race that for mayor. As usual, many men are running for the office of city collector, but almost all aspirants have opponents.

Weather predictors promise that the skies will be bright and fair, and loyal party members think this year's vote may exceed that of many others.

KELLY WILL RUN AGAIN

Frank Kelly, Cape Girardeau, for twelve years circuit judge of the twenty-eighth district, which comprises Cape Girardeau, Scott and Mississippi Counties, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for that position subject to the August primaries. The term of thsi office is six years.

Judge Kelly was born February 28, 1867, in St. Louis but was reared in Jefferson County. After graduating from the public schools and from Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau, he taught school while he studied law. He was admitted to the bar at Hillsboro in 1893, and in April, 1895, moved to Benton. From January 1, 1899, to December 31, 1907, he served as prosecuting attorney of Scott county. Later he went to Cape Girardeau, where he was city attorney from 1910 to 1912.

Actual Work Started On Tanner Street

Actual work was begun this morning on the new Tanner street pavement, which will connect Kingshighway with Highway 61. About eleven laborers started grading the right-of-way in front of the high school.

The men who work on this project will be those most needing employment. While the grading is still in progress an equal number of men will work for thirty hours in alternating shifts. Later, when the concrete is being poured approximately twenty-five men will work at once.

It is generally conceded that Tanner street is the one thoroughfare, not already paved, which most requires attention, since it is used not only by persons desiring to reach Highway 61 from the north part of town but also by those attending the numerous functions held at the high school throughout the year.

Total List of CWA Expenses in Sikeston

A total of approximately $20,540 has been furnished Sikeston for CWA labor and for rations issued by John Young, who is in charge of CWA work here, to needy families. Of this about $18,000 was used for payrolls.

The commodities shippped here were surplus rations bought by the federal government and sent to Sikeston for distribution. A list of those issued and their estimated value follows:

One hundred and fifty tons of coal, $750; 891 pounds of butter, $245.25; 536 dozen eggs, $53.60; 23 sacks of flour, $13.80; 1840 lbs. of smoked meat, $184; 905 pounds of salt pork, $90.50; 1995 pounds of fresh beef, $199.50; 20 bushels of apples, $30; 100 dozen oranges, $20; 22 blankets, $44 and for grocery orders, doctors and medicine, $1109.75.

chambers of commerce, Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs—being solely interested in the immediate benefit of their towns, why not work directly with the farmer, have him directly represented by his leader in these organizations? Allow the town and its trade territory to work as one in striving for mutual benefit. I would venture that where this spirit of general co-ordination manifests itself, these will be the communities to forge to the front more quickly and stay there, than where the farmer and the business man do not try to work out their problems together.

Plans are now under way for a gigantic migration to the farms, more so than ever before, to the farms where a living can be had, where happiness and contentment will reign. After all the rough spots are ironed out, when all business is once more stabilized as it is bound to be, the farmers, the railroad and the business man will continue to work together.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

C. E. Jones, who for ten years has been on the faculty of the Beatrice, Neb., high school, will give a demonstration lecture on "The Magic of Electricity" Monday afternoon, April 9, at 1:00 o'clock at the high school. Mr. Jones has traveled extensively throughout th e Middle West, speaking on the various phases of electricity.

Roy V. Ellise, city superintendent of schools, will deliver commencement addresses at the high schools in Diehlstadt and Lilbourn on the evenings of May 10 and 11. Since Mr. Ellise has been here he has spoken on similar occasions in every county town except Fornfelt.

NEW ROUTE CONSIDERED

Members of the Scott County Court are considering securing a part of the right-of-way of the gulf line of the Frisco Railroad, which is now being dismantled. The Benton-Manning's Landing section may be made into a farm-to-market road, a part of it being a river-view route. J. H. Dolan, George J. Arnold, and John Miller recently appeared before the court to voice their approval of this

THE WEATHER

The following daily high and low temperatures were recorded by John LaFont at the Frisco statio:

	High	Low
Thursday	66	32
Friday	70	40
Saturday	78	44
Sunday	76	46

CRESCENTS WIN CONTEST

The Cape Girardeau Crescents won the championship of the invitational tournament conducted in Fornfelt during the week-end by defeating the Fornfelt Stags in the finals Saturday evening, 34 to 16. The 75 Million Club of Cape Girardeau took third place from Fruitland with a score of 52 to 25.

In the semi-finals Saturday afternoon the Crescents defeated the 75 Million Club, 27 to 21, and the Stags, Fruitland, 41 to 28.

At the opening round of play Thursday evening, Thebes eliminated Sikeston, 31 to 24. Others winning were the Fornfelt Bobcats, from Cape Girarueau Centenary, Illmo, from Morley, and the Cape Girardeau 75 Million Club, from Benton. Fruitland won from Oran on a forfeit.

Friday night the Crescents defeaed Thebes, the 75 Million Club eliminated Matthews, the Fornfel Stags won from Illmo and Fruitland, from the Fornfelt Bobcats.

TROOP 43 SCOUTS MEET

Tharon Stallings, Scoutmaster of Troop 43, drilled about forty members of his group at a Boy Scout meeting held Thursday evening at the Armory. Demonstrations of first aid given by three boys of each patrol within the troop followed the drill. Members of the Hawk patrol were judged the best.

Next week the patrols will compete in a signalling contest. All young men interested in Scouting are invited to attend a troop meeting at 7 o'clock Thursday night in the Armory.

Jeff Potlocks is still seeking his stray pig. He was very fond of him, and in order to be sure that he will get the right one, he has already brought home three nice

HUSK O'HARE AND HIS BAND HERE WEDNESDAY NITE

HUSK O'HARE

Husk O'Hare with his genial gentlemen of the air who is appearing Wednesday evening, April 11 at the Armory, Sikeston, has travelled in his personal appearance tours, far enough to have encircled the globe more than four times. Besides short trips, he has made three special trips. On the first, he appeared in 107 towns in 17 States and travelled 33,000 miles; on his second trip he made even greater mileage, he travelled 48,000 miles to play in 229 towns in 28 States. His recent tour was shorter . . . he made only 80 towns in sixteen States and travelled a mere 18,000 miles. It isn't just exactly 'wanderlust' that makes a globe trotter of Husk O'Hare . . . it is popular demand. Requests pour into the Music Corporation of America for this popular orchestra leader who holds more records for drawing crowds than most any other dance band leader. They want him for theatre engagements, dances and benefit performances. Everywhere he goes a 'sell out' is assured. On the dance floor the debonair crowds dance with delight to his scintillating rhythm, while the balconies are packed with those who know that Husk O'Hare will play their special requests.

Congenial host . . Husk O'Hare. He knows people and likes people. A keen psychologist. He reads some fiction, but spends most of his time reading psychology and musing over some of his most interesting fan mail. Every piece is tabulated . . and the most recent statistics given out by his secretary show that he has received more than 650,000 pieces of fan mail. After all, that is no small item . . . averaging the postage alone at two cents apiece . . It amounts to a neat sum of $13,000. During one of his recent seasons at a Loop Hotel in Chicago, the hotel's bill for postage alone was $6000 for answering the letters abound the dance band leader.

Husk O'Hare answers each piece of fan mail that comes to him . . and sends along a picture of the entire band. That is just a detail of his generosity. He is always giving some sort of gift to someone . . he never forgets anyone. In fact, that is where he gets his greatest pleasure . . . and it may be one of the reasons why one of the greatest newspaper columnists in America has called him "the genial gentleman of the air".

BENEFIT CLUB TO MEET

The Woman's Benefit Association will hold an inspirational meeting Wednesday evening, April 4, at 8 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. Hall, instead of on Thursday as previously anounced. Prominent persons who will attend are Mrs. May A. C. Sommers, State field director of the organization for Missouri, Miss Dorothy K. Hunt, supervisor of girls' clubs in Port Huron, Mich., and Dr. Edna Stone, of St. Louis, health supervisor for Missouri. It is hoped that every member of the association will come to the meeting.

RUSSELL-BRADLEY TO MEET NEXT TUES. NIGHT

The Russell-Bradley Missionary Society of the local Methodist Church, will hold its meeting next Tuesday night, April 10, with Miss Mayme Marshall. Mrs. Loomis Mayfield, assistant hostess.

W. M. U. CIRCLES TO MEET THURSDAY

The Circles of the Woman's Missionary Union, First Baptist Church, will meet at the following places this Thursday afternoon:

Circle No. 1—Mrs. W. R. Burks
Ruth Circle—Mrs. Wm. Carson
Young Matrons' Circle—Mrs. Clyde Meredith

AUXILIARY NOTES

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. Marshall Myers Friday evenig, April 6. All members are urged to attend this meeting. The friendship quilt which was finished, will be given away at this

SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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The Standard editor enjoyed a visit Friday morning from Wm. L. Bradshaw, of Columbia, Mo., field agent for Missouri for the American Municipal Association of the Federation of State Leagues of Municipalities, whatever all that means. He knew our son David quite well and spoke very highly of him which was very pleasing to us.

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Dr. G. W. Presnell for Mayor. He is a man that will serve all alike. Some may think as he is a doctor, he doesn't need the office. However, did you ever stop and think that he takes care of many sick families and never gets a cent, beside spends his hard earnings for medicine. He is a straight man in every respect and hope all will think of this when they cast their vote.—Contributed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Congress—

We are authorized to announce Dr. Z. Lee Stokely, of Poplar Bluff, as a candidate for Congress from this district subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary election.

For Circuit Judge—

We are authorized to announce Frank Kelly as a candidate for Judge of the 28th Judicial Circuit subject to the will of the voters of the August primary.

For Mayor—

We are authorized to announce N. E. Fuchs as a candidate for re-election as Mayor of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Dr. G. W. Presnell as a candidate for Mayor for the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters, at the April election.

For Police Judge—

We are authorized to announce W. H. Carter as a candidate for Police Judge of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Jos. W. Myers as a candidate for re-election for Police Judge of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Wm. S. Smith as candidate for Police Judge, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

For City Attorney—

We are authorized to announce Robert A. Dempster as a candidate for City Attorney of the City of Sikeston, subject to the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Massengill as a candidate for City Attorney for the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

For Police Chief—

We are authorized to announce Ira Shuffit as a candidate for Police Chief of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

For City Collector—

We are authorized to announce D. L. McElroy as a candidate for City Collector, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Ed "Pete" Kendall as a candidate for Collector of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Elmos Taylor as a candidate for re-election as Collector of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

For Alderman—

We are authorized to announce Lynn Waggener as a candidate for re-election as Alderman from the First Ward to the City Council, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to annuonce Charlie Henson as a candidate for alderman in the second ward of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Hubert Boyer as a candidate for re-election of Alderman of Ward 2, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Walter Hughes as a candidate for alderman in the Second Ward of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April election.

We are authorized to announce Thos. F. Rafferty as a candidate for aldermen in the 4th ward of the City of Sikeston, subject to the will of the voters at the April

TO THE PUBLIC

Vienna, Ill.,
March 16, 1934

Mr. W. H. Carter,
Sikeston, Mo.

I will gladly recommend you for you made one of the best, if not the best deputy sheriffs that Johnson County ever had and as chief police of Vienna, I never heard one word of complaint about your official duties while in office.

As ever, your friend
R. R. RIDENHOUER

The District of Columbia supreme court has swept away another legal obstacle to trial of Bishop Cannon, Jr., and Ada L. Burroughs on charges of violation of the corrupt practice act when it overruled a demurrer to two counts of the original indictment. Previously, the supreme court had ruled out eight of the ten counts as the result of a demurrer filed some time ago. Today's action, however, leaves in effect the two principal counts charging conspiracy. The indictment was returned as a result of alleged failure to list contributions received during the Hoover-Smith campaign of 1928. It now looks as if the old scallawag will have to be tried on the merits of the case. He has tried every technicality possible to avoid being brought to the bar of justice, but without avail.

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EINSTEIN DEPRIVED OF RICH CITIZENSHIP

Berlin, March 29.—Prof. Albert Einstein, noted physicist now conducting research at Princeton, N. J., was deprived of his German citizenship along with 36 other persons today, the Reich government officially decreed.

Einstein and the others not only lost their citizenship, but all their propery was confiscated, and the ministry of interior was authorized to extend the confiscatory measures against their relatives.

The government ordered the action on the ground that the persons against whom it was taken "had damgaed German interests through their attitude in violation of their duty toward the people of the Reich".

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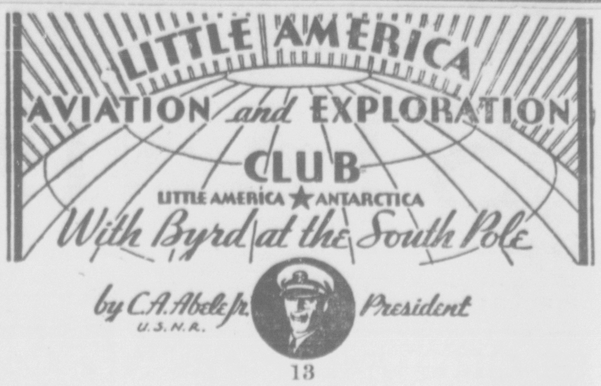

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Frozen Boots!

LITTLE AMERICA, ANTARCTICA, Feb. 12 (via Mackay Radio)—Believe it or not, we are still hauling supplies from the scattered caches on the ice into Little America and, according to my boss, Commander Noville, we shall be at it for a total of three weeks or more. I am actually living in a little tent out by Pressure Camp and I'm looking forward to getting into one of those warm snow-buried wooden huts in Little America that isn't in danger of being blown away by the wind.

Speaking of wind, we've got plenty of it and they tell me this is only a beginner. We are reaching the end of our summer season down here and the boys tell me it is nice and balmy. I wouldn't know that. The thermometer says fifteen degrees below zero and a biting wind sends the cold right through our veins.

W. S. McCormack our autogyro pilot

There are 51 of us working on the ice and already we are watching each other's faces for signs of frostbite. If we see a small white dot appear on another fellow's nose we run up to him and help him to rub it with snow to restore the circulation. Frostbite is no fun under our circumstances and Dr. Shirey has been busy fighting it with us, but now he is gone. Illness forced him to quit the Expedition and he is on his way back to New Zealand on the Jacob Ruppert. We'll miss him. We understand the research ship, Discovery II, is bringing us another doctor who will be transferred to the Bear at Oakland and brought here to spend the next year or so with us on the ice. Then the Bear will have to run out of here to New Zealand before the Ross Sea freezes again, so we'll be left all alone for twelve months. I wonder—about a lot of things!

In addition to my job of segregating the many types of fuel and oil for the various airplanes, tractors and snowmobiles, as they require it, I am now helping in the distribution of parts for all these machines. Gosh, I didn't know there was so much work in the world! The only water we have is heated snow, so even the sketchy washing of hands and face and shaving are priceless luxuries. Bathing is out of the question. Later, when we get indoors we'll clean ourselves with cold cream. I never realized what a wonderful song that was, "Gee, How I Hate To Get Up In The Morning." It is a miserable feeling crawling out of a warm sleeping bag into a temperature of ten below zero and finding your boots frozen solid so you have to beat them against the tent pole to soften them up before you can put them on and thus get your feet in out of the weather. No yawning or stretching. Once awake and out of your nest and you have to move fast.

Al Carbonne, the cook, is having a picnic trying to feed us properly. Working under tremendous difficulties, with only a single three-burner gasoline stove to prepare five meals every 24 hours for 51 men, he is performing miracles. But we must eat fast. The food turns stone cold in two or three minutes and freezes solid in ten. Out on the trail we have thermos bottles of hot cocoa. You can bet I am very careful to keep that stove supplied with the proper gasoline.

We are working day and night at top speed to get our supplies to Little America before the bay ice and barrier ice feet break off. There is a considerable crisis of this kind now at Pressure Ridge but, with luck, we'll beat it.

I'm delighted at the radio news that these disconnected, hurried little yarns of mine are proving interesting and are running in hundreds of newspapers and that my club is growing so fast. They tell me that high school teachers in history, science and geography are enrolling their entire classes and studying the stories with the working maps every week. That's swell! The more the merrier. We welcome as members, without any cost whatever, all people interested in aviation, adventure and exploration who send in a self-addressed stamped envelope to C. A. Abele, Jr., president, Little America Aviation and Exploration Club, Hotel Lexington 48th Street and Lexington Avenue, New York, N. Y. and the club staff will send them all a membership card and a big map of the South Polar region.

(Next Week: "A New Exploration")

Washington Comment

About two years ago, on the 29th of May, 1932 to be exact, the Bonus Expeditionary Force arrived in Washington and went into camp. It tarried in the capital until the latter part of July, when it was dispersed by force of arms, the organization being kept intact to some degree until Johnstown, Pa. was reached, where the army broke up. It is said that a similar movement will be instituted about the first of April. The first bonus disturbance was regretted by the friends and foes of the bonus payment alike, and it is to be hoped that a repetition of what happened in 1932 may be avoided.

About two thousand years ago, Paul wrote that he was having a hard time of it in the general neighborhood of Greece. According to his account, he was in peril in the city, in peril on the sea, and in peril at the hands of his own countrymen. A former Chicago banker seems to be in much the same plight. Greece does not want him, the ocean tosses his vessel about, and a hot reception awaits him if he comes home. Once more history repeats itself. A statement which is true, even though Paul was engaged in an honorable business. In his day, he was probably chased from place to place as vigorously as the Chicago business magnate. The elder adventurer ended up by having his head cut off at Rome. Without drawing any unwholesome and unjustified parallel between the two men, the latter-day character might just as well give up and face the axe. He will get it sooner or later.

In less than a half-day, the House of Representatives cleared its slate of three measures of considerable significance. By the provisions of one of them, the Philippine Islands will have their freedom in ten years, a gentle but guiding hand being kept on them in the meantime. Under a second of the bills, silver gets a show, and by the third production of cotton is limited. It is fashionable to consider the Washington legislators as time-wasters, but current events indicate that Congress can get down to business in a hurry, if it is convinced that there is occasion for doing so. Generally stated, constituents generally make a mistake in assuming that their Representatives are on a care-free picnic while the House is in session.

Two Americans have been arrested abroad for collecting in one country, secret information to be turned over to another. During the Revolution, Nathan Hale visited a British camp on Long Island, in disguise, was captured, hanged by the British, and had numerous statues erected by the Americans, to his memory as a patriot. Major Andre reversed the process, suffered the American noose, and received burial and a laudatory tablet in Westminster Abbey. What happened to Edith Cavell during the World War is recalled by all. There is one good thing about the spy business. The spy is sure to be praised by someone.

Over in Germany, doctors are advised to handle their patients according to their value to the country, a plan which lays an increased load on an already overburdened profession. In addition to recognizing the disease and selecting the proper remedy, the physician must also decide whether or not an infant looks as though he might make a good president or traffic cop, and govern himself accordingly. Considering the inauspicious beginnings of many who have turned out to be fit to hold high places in the land of the free, American doctors will be likely to give all an equal chance, and let Time do the weeding-out.

A Washington law suit had to be put off three times because one of the parties broke his ankle twice, his attorny suffering a like disaster. The lawyer on the other side probably is more convinced than ever that the case does not have a leg to stand on.

If any schoolboy were asked who was the first President of the United States, he would give the customary answer promptly and without fear of contradiction. Hair-splitting historians, however, are not so sure about the matter. Although George Washington was the first President under the Constitution, the government of the land had a head before Washington's time. Prior to the adoption of the Constitution, the Continental Congress met and transacted business for several years. Its presiding officer was called the President of the Congress. Fashions in history change, like other fashions, and the list of Presidents some day may be lengthened by the insertion at the top, of such names as Thomas McKean, John Hansom, Thomas Mifflin, and several others, all of which have no meaning at the present day.

ELOPE FROM POOR FARM, THEN RETURN

Lafayette, Ga.—For 15 years Miss Nancy Wallen lived at the poor farm. About a month ago Claude Ward, 55, moved into the home. Soon Ward offered Miss Wallen his heart and hand and she accepted. Despite attempts of authorities at the home to persuade them otherwise, the couple eloped. Now, after a short honeymoon, they are at the home again, asking to be taken back permanently. Their case comes before the next meeting of the county commissioners.

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N. Y. THUGS EVEN AFFECT MISSOURI POULTRY PRICES

By Foust Roper

Washington, March 30.—The grasping hand of New York gangdom extends westward to affect even the prices Missouri farmers get for their chickens, according to Representative Clarence Cannon.

The Elsberry legislator, acting on complaints from farmers' cooperatives in several Missouri towns, has introduced a bill to amend the packers and stockyards act of 1921, making poultry and poultry dealers subject to the same government regulations as livestock and its dealers.

Most Missouri fowls are shipped to the New York market, which, investigation has shown, is controlled hand and foot by Gotham gorillas. Through the dictates of these racketeers, the market charges the extortionate rate of a cent of a pound for handling poultry sent there. In addition there are high charges for feed and incidentals. If firms of the market do not maintain the prescribed rates, a bomb usually makes them see the light.

All these gyps, of course, hammer down the price a Missouri buyer can pay for chickens.

Mr. Cannon believes putting the poultry business under U. S. supervision will materially raise prices. "Which will help the state a lot", he added, "for on an average Missouri farm the income from poultry supplies the family table and furnishes the family wardrobe".

Aside from keeping the government out of business, waltzing is perhaps dearest to Congressman Joe Shannon's heart. He complains the waltz is a lost art and is very proud of his own ability at that particular step. Some of his congressional friends call him the "waltz king".

The 67-year-old representative never runs down. He dances every dance during a long evening while younger males look on with mingled damiration and envy. He was in exceptional top form at the recent dinner dance here for members of the Stephens College annual tour.

Better Farm Loans

A bill to give the farmer a much better break on his borrowing has been introduced by Representative Duncan. If it is passed you will be allowed 70 per cent instead of the previous 50 of the normal value of your land and may borrow 40 per cent instead of a mere 20 on your perma- Duncan has long been irked by the Dunca has long been irked by the low basis of lending on farm lands and improvement compared to loans of as high as 80 per cent on homes.

Reforming

Speaking of farm credit, Congressman Milligan's proposed investigation of the St. Louis land bank is having a decidedly elevating influence. The boys who run the St. Looey joint are loosening up rather somewhat and making a few loans.

Congressmen are expressing grave fears about the good ship CWA. An overload of Republicans is kicking holes in its sides from within. Throughout Missouri, as elsewher, the solons say you find GOPartisans directing the course of the huge craft.

The representatives laud the administration's idea of leaning backward on the partisanship proposition but rightly point out that it is being carried too far. As one disgustedly said: "It's reached the point where if a Republican is given a good CWA job, that's serving the interests of the people; if a Democrat is given one, that's politics".

The administration is holding the sack in that the Republicans cannot lose, regardless of the ultimate outcome. If the project does a flopola, they can ridicule it as a Democratic measure. If it clicks, in spite of their hammering, they can explain its success by the great number of Reupblicans who directed its activities.

From down in the street under my window at the Cairo the other evening came sounds of a quartet indulging in "Sweet Adeline". That—and the smug assurance of the weather observers—makes one feel safe in saying Spring is here.

Spring in Washington means cherry blossom time, one of the truly beautiful sights of the world. A special fete is being planned this year to mark the occasion and if you are even vaguely thinking of visiting the capital, by all means set your trip within the next few weeks in order that you may view this grand spectacle.

All of which has pretty little to do with politics—but who cares? Spring is here!

The reason you didn't see Congressman Clyde Williams' vote recorded on the bonus question is because he has been confined to his home with a severe cold for the last three weeks. He would have voted FOR payment, had he been presnt . . . Negros constitute one-half of Washington's population . . . Rperesentative Ruffin always uses a cigarette holder . . . Meetings of the senate finance committee keep Senator Clark busy nowadays . . . In Elsberry last December, Representative Cannon received 11 cents for eggs from his farm . . . When he and his family arrived here for the session, they paid 44 cents a dozen . . . Height-of-something-or-other: A liquor store here held a fire sale!

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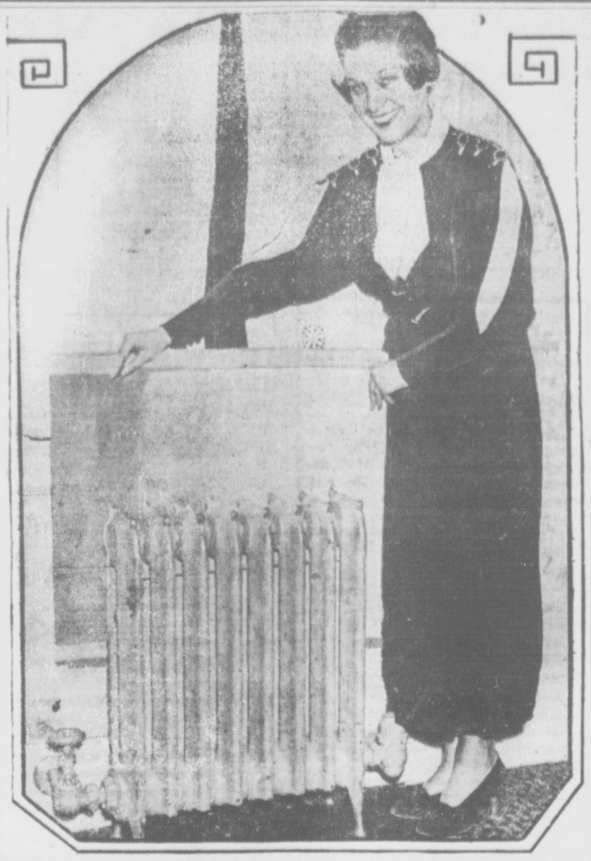

The new radiator reflector which saves 25 per cent of the heat formerly wasted.

A development which will mean the saving of much of the 25 per cent of the heat that is now lost from home radiators has just been announced. An adaptation of the metallation idea of using thin aluminum sheets as insulating material, the new development is a radiator reflector to be placed behind any radiator for the purpose of preventing the heat from being absorbed by the wall.

It is estimated that at present 25 per cent of all the heat thrown off by a radiator is wasted, this percentage being absorbed by the wall against which the radiator is placed. The new radiator reflector, a thin highly polished sheet of aluminum, prevents this absorption by throwing the heat outward into the room.

No special mounting is necessary for the radiator reflectors, nor are the services of a heating or insulating man required for installing the device. The radiator reflector, which will be sold at a very low price, is readily placed on end behind the radiator by the home-owner himself. During warm weather when the radiator is not in use it may be immediately removed and stored until needed.

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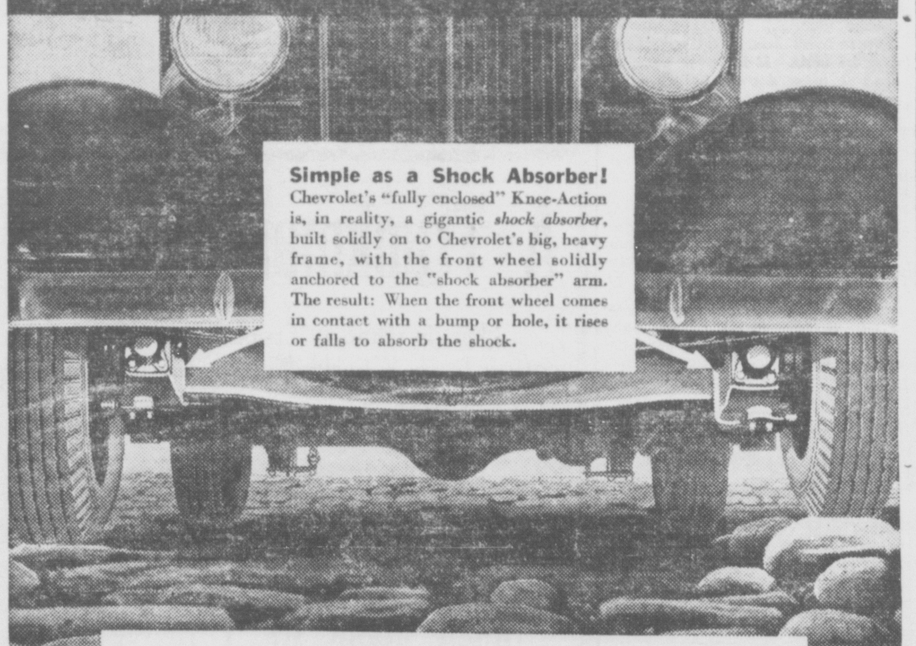

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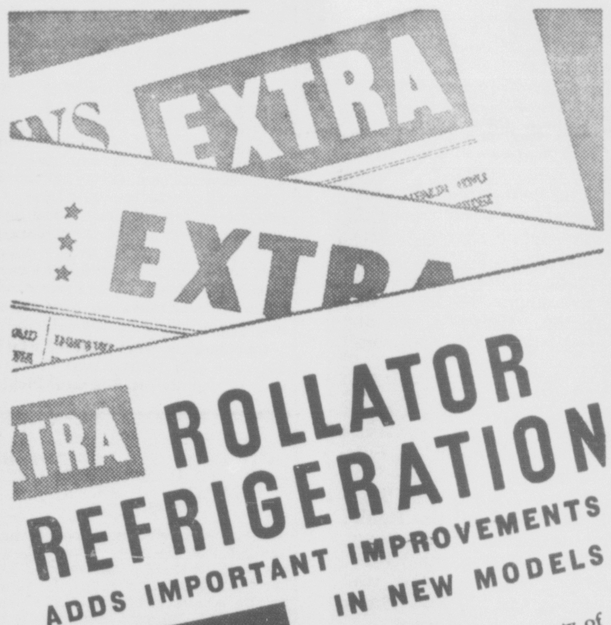

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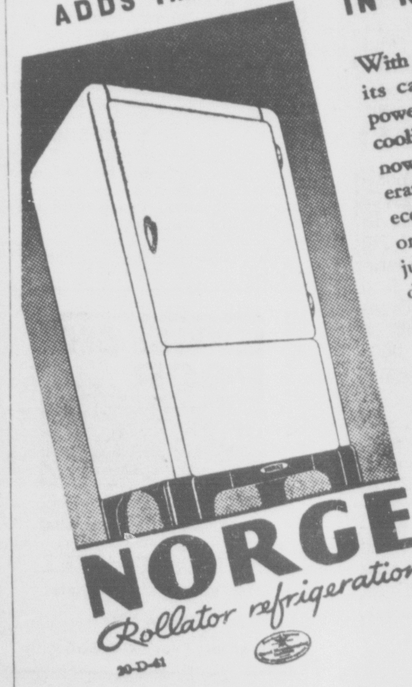

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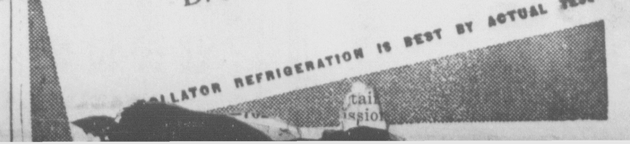

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We've just been looking over the two most recent issues of The Sikeston Standard, perhaps a bit enviously. Last Friday's issue consisted of twelve pages and Tuesday's of this week had eight, all of them eight-column pages and therefore much larger than our own. And each issue was well-filled with local advertising—we should say considerably more than 60 per cent of the space. We would not draw any "invidious comparisons" as to the business acumen of the Sikeston merchants and those of Caruthersville, but it strikes us that the business men in the Scott County town know what they want and how to get it. Business conditions may be more lively and brisk there than here; there may be more money in circulation and therefore more incentive for merchants to advertise there. But we know one thing: So long as merchants in any city sit or stand about their stores and merely HOPE somebody will come in and spend money with them they are likely to be disappointed. Modern business is not carried on that way any more, for people go to that firm and to that town where they are invited to spend their money and where sufficient interest is shown in inducing them to come to impress them that their business is appreciated. Where value for their money can he had and the fact is shown by a presentation of the articles of merchandise and the price to be charged for it is where people naturally turn. Were you never invited to your neighbor's home you would not intrude upon him with your presence and the merchant who does not invite people to his store need not be surprised if people do not come to see him. There is no better method of extending such invitations nor more sure way to secure the attention of the public than through one's local newspapers. Sikeston merchants evidently have grasped the truth of this situation; there is no doubt they find it pays them dividends to do so.—Caruthersville Democrat.

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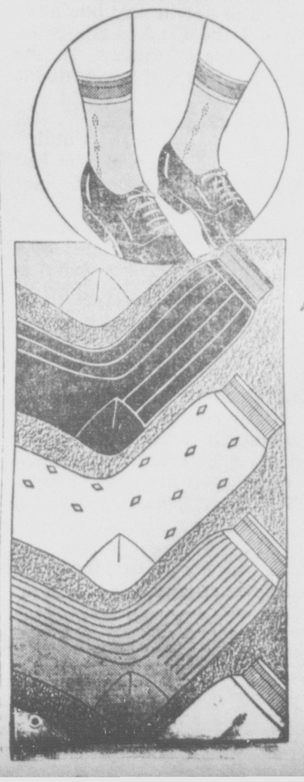

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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

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Miss Clara Trousdale of St. Louis spent the week-end with her mother in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wilson and son, T., drove down from Jefferson City Friday and will return Tuesday.

Ben Blanton and Lee Dodson of St. Louis spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blanton.

Mrs. W. H. Bess and daughter, Miss Marilyn, of Poplar Bluff, spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Elmer Moore and family, near Benton. Enroute home they visited at the Wayne Bess home in this city.

Murray Jones spent the week-end in Sikeston with his wife, and her mother and sister, Mrs. Putnam and Miss Lillian Putnam. Mrs. Jones accompanied him to St. Louis Monday morning where she will visit several days with her sister, Mrs. Sid Hitchings, while Mr. Jones went to Des Moines, Ia.

A letter received this morning by Mrs. Leslie Garrison from Rev. Garrison stated that he had 40 additions to the church Sunday, making a total of 55 to date. Rev. Garrison is conducting a revival in the Carondelet Baptist church in St. Louis, of which Rev. Wiggers is pastor, and is being assisted by Frank Adams of Paragould, Ark., who has charge of the singing. The meeting will continue through this next week, closing Sunday.

Last Saturday evening, Mrs. Eva Ramsey was tendered a birthday surprise by friends and neighbors. Although Mrs. Ramsey's birthday did not occur until Sunday, and while she was away at town doing her shopping, all gathered at her home on that evening with their gifts, to wish her many happy returns. Among the gifts was a birthday cake with 63 lighted candles. Those present were: Mrs. Delia Engram, Mrs. Harry Camden, Mrs. Etna Brown, Mrs. Madie Rankin, Mrs. Ada Taylor, Mrs. Olgha Potts, Mrs. Myrtle Heath, Mrs Edna Mae Kirby, Mrs. Ruth Pool, Mrs. Geo. Hutchinson, Mrs. Mary Bond, Mrs. Cleve McCann, Mrs. Sallie Matthews, Miss Imogene Matthews, Miss Gurnnell Taylor, Zada Matthews, Betty Brown and Ardeth Kirby.

Y. W. A. TO MEET TONIGHT

The regular meeting of the Y. W. A. of the local Baptist church will be held at the home of Miss Hontas Lee on South Kingshighway Tuesday evening, April 3. Every member urged to be present.

CAPE DOCTORS TO MEET

The Cape Girardeau County Medical Society will invite other physicians of Southeast Missouri to attend a monthly dinner meeting of that association which will be held April 9 at the Hotel Marquette in Cape Girardeau. Dr. Jean Cooke, a St. Louis child specialist, will be the principal speaker.

BINGO PARTY

The regular bingo party will be held Wednesday afternoon in the school hall and the ladies are cordially invited.

This year is one of confusion. Sunday was both Easter and April Fool's Day, and because of that may have caused some difficulty among churchgoers and pranksters. Because he was so harried with inquiries about the matter an employe of the naval almanac office in Washigton discovered by figuring, other years on which this duplication occurred. He found that in 1804, 1866, 1877, 1888, and 1923 Easter and April Fool fell o the same day.

This year had aother curious coincidence. According to legend the birds mate on St. Valentine's day. But since that day fell on Ash Wednesday, how could they?

Our old friend J. Kelly Pool, editor of the Capital City News is too old to be postmaster, according to the ruling of the postal department, but here is the way he is still able and inclined to hand it to a bevy of girls who visited his city recently: "If you are asking us, the 'Green Peppers' from the William Woods College, Fulton, were the cynosure of all eyes, the stellar attraction and the deluxe feature of the opening night of Jefferson City's fashion show. As a drum and bugle corps, they are lovesome beauties destined to be musical joys forever". Is he being his age?—Doniphan Prospect-News.

Oregon University is planning to produce "heavy water" on a big scale soon. From six quarts to two gallons of the heavy water can be extracted from the 10,000 gallon water tank they are installing.

The production of briar root for smoking pipes dates back to 1860 when a French firm found it to be of excellent quality for that purpose.

SLIMMING DIET

Here is another of the weight reducing menus prepared for this paper by Dr. Shirley W. Wynne, Commissioner of Health of New York City.

Adjust the diet to your needs by taking smaller or larger portions of the food indicated in plain type. Do not change the quantities of the foods in bold face type. These are the protective foods, and must be taken as indicated.

BREAKFAST

	Calories
1 small glass tomato juice	50
Breakfast cereal (1 tsp. sugar, 1/2 glass milk)	175
Coffee (milk instead of cream, no sugar)	25

LUNCH

Salad (3 tablespoons cottage cheese, 1/2 cup cole slaw, watercress)	100
1/2 slice bread, or 1/2 roll	50
1 cup fresh berries (1/4 glass milk, no sugar)	125
1 glass of milk	150

DINNER

1/2 cup unthickened cream of tomato soup	100
Medium serving of filet of sole (with lemon)	250
1/2 cup spinach	25
1/2 baked potato	50
1/4 cup fruit salad (1/2 tablespoon French dressing)	100
Ice tea (lemon, no sugar)	

Don't try to reduce too fast. A quarter of a pound a day is enough.

Alimony: The back-payments on dead love. The punishment for having stopped loving a woman, whom you never should have begun loving.

New Meat Loaves Afford Variety

VARIETY IS one of the pleasant things of life, and a juicy meat loaf is another. The meat loaf is an economical dish that always meets with the hearty approval of a whole family. Then, too, it is possible to cook almost the entire dinner in the oven, thereby reducing the amount of time and fuel required. But everyone grows tired of her favorite recipe at some time or other, and begins to cast about for other suggestions. To the woman on the lookout for new and delightful changes, these different and unusual meat loaves will be a find.

By JOSEPHINE GIBSON
Director, Heinz Food Institute

Individual Stuffed Meat Loaves—Grind together 2 pounds veal and 1 pound fresh pork. Add 2 teaspoons salt, a generous dash of pepper, 2 eggs, slightly beaten, 1 small onion, chopped fine, and ½ cup milk. Add 2 cups Rice Flakes. Mix well, then add ⅓ cup Tomato Ketchup and 1 teaspoon Worcestershire Sauce. To form the individual meat loaves, wrap some of the meat mixture around half a hard cooked egg. Be sure the egg is well covered with the meat mixture. Place the little loaves in a baking pan, cover each with a half strip of bacon, if you wish, and bake, uncovered, in a moderately hot oven (400° F.) for ¾ hour, basting as needed, with a few tablespoons water. (Peeled potatoes may be baked around them in the pan, if you wish.) This recipe makes enough for two meals.

Vegetable Meat Loaf—To 2 pounds ground beef—or 1 pound ground beef and 1 pound ground pork—add 1 egg, ¼ cup chopped onion, 1½ teaspoons salt, a dash of pepper, 2 cups Rice Flakes and 1 medium can Vegetable Soup. Mix all these ingredients thoroughly, form into one large loaf or two smaller ones, and place in a well greased roaster. Sprinkle lightly with flour and sear in a hot oven (425° F.) until slightly brown. Pour ½ cup water around the roll, cover, and continue baking in a moderately hot oven (about 400° F.) for 1 hour. Uncover and brown slightly. If liquid evaporates, add ¼ to ½ cup more water, as needed.

Ham Loaf—Have ground together twice, 1 pound raw cured ham and ½ pound fresh pork. Add 2 cups Rice Flakes, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire Sauce, 1 egg, ¾ cup milk and a dash of pepper, and mix thoroughly. Pat into a loaf, place in a greased roaster and sprinkle with flour. Sear in a hot oven (500° F.) until brown. Pour ½ cup water around loaf, cover and continue cooking in a moderate oven (375° F.) for 1 hour. After first half hour, place white or sweet potatoes around roll, if desired, or place slices of pineapple over top of loaf and allow to brown delicately.

Refrigerator Meat Loaf—Grind 2½ cups cold cooked veal or pork and ½ cup Sweet Mustard Pickle together finely. Add ¾ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper and 4 tablespoons melted butter. Blend thoroughly and pack firmly into a pan lined with waxed paper. Place overnight in refrigerator. Slice thinly and make into sandwiches, using whole wheat bread, and placing a lettuce leaf in each sandwich. Slices of tomato may also be added, if desired.

Somerville Meat Loaf—Have 2 pounds of beef ground with ¼ cup suet. Add 1 small onion, minced, 2 cups soft bread crumbs, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon Evaporated Horseradish which has been soaked in 1 tablespoon cold water for 10 minutes, 1 teaspoon Prepared Mustard, 4 tablespoons minced green pepper and 2 teaspoons Worcestershire Sauce. Mix all these ingredients thoroughly and pack into a greased baking pan. Pour over top ½ cup Tomato Ketchup and bake in a hot oven (about 400° F.) for 1¼ hours. (Either fresh beef or left-over beef may be used. If left-over meat is used it need not be baked quite so long.)

More good news. The Mayo Clinic tells you that your own body is a "germicide factory". All through the body, germ-killing chemicals are manufactured, dealing with deep-seated troubles that could not be reached from the outside and would cause death. The Mayo scientists believe that a diet, properly regulated, would stimulate these germicide products, diminish disease and prolong life. We are fearfully and wonderfully made, and, in addition to praising the Lord, which we should do, we have still many things to learn about ourselves. The natural, home-made product that fights your diseases more effectively than any doctor or medicine, is betaoxybutyric acid.—Arthur Brisbane.

Isaac Helwanger still believes, after noticing things for all these years, that there is a reason for everything, until he saw a bird zled to know exactly how pig tracks could be of any benefit to anybody ,until he saw a bird drinking water out of one of them. —Commercial Appeal.

Berlin claims the biggest subway station in the world. The new Kottbuser Tor station is 394 feet long and has a platform more than 36 feet wide.

Custom forbids women of the better class to be seen in public in La Paz, Bolivia, except under the most circumspect canditions.

There ae upwards of 100 coffee planters in Sao Paulo, Brazil, whose incomes are estimated to be at least $50,000 a year.

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Front Street

OUR POSITION

The Sikeston Democratic Club is urging every Democrat in Sikeston to support the candidacy for Dr. G. W. Presnell for Mayor. The reasons outlined below are self-explanatory. If they meet with your approval, we conscientiously urge you to cast your ballot i support of the candidate which this Club encouraged to enter in this race.

Dr. Presnell became a candidate for this office at the urgent appeal of his friends and business associates who feel that they need a man of his type to better represent Sikeston as its Mayor. His democracy is unquestioned and we have his promise that the appointive jobs will at least be equally divided between the Democrats and Republicans instead of the majority going to the Republicans. He has given us his promise that he will in no way interfere with the nonpartisanship of the Board of Public Works. His opponent is circulating the story that if Dr. Presnell is elected he will make a political plaything out of the Board of Public Works. The ordinance prohibits this and Dr. Presell in a signed statement to the press has already explained his views on this matter.

Why his opponent, if desirous of conducting his campaign in a truthful manner, should cast insinuations that Dr. Presnell is not desirous of maintaining the Board of Public Works and the light plant on a profitable basis for the City is beyond any thoughtful man's conception of truthfulness, inasmuch as Dr. Presnell was the third largest contributor of cash toward the expenses of promoting the successful bond issue for the construction of this municipal enterprise. That is the reason why he was proposed as a member of the Board of Public Works when it was first created.

We have Dr. Presnell's promise that if elected Mayor the cost of the special election to select his successor as Alderman from Ward 3 will be defrayed out of his private pocket and will not cost the City of Sikeston one cent. Dr. Presnell is not in any business, therefore he has nothing to sell the City of Sikeston. Dr. Presnell will not allow two of his family to be placed on the City payroll as the present incumbent now has.

Now, in answer to the circulars passed by N. E. Fuchs, in reference to the one headed "For the Public" he says that during his administration as Mayor the following improvements have been made without placing any added burden on the tax payers:

He gives himself credit for the extensions to the sanitary and storm sewer systems totallig some $9,309.05, but fails to give the National Democratic Administration credit for the aid it rendered through the CWA project. The filteration plant and additions to water systems, $26,836.22 means that it will be that much longer before your water rates can be reduced, inasmuch as no expenditure of money can be made without that money coming from some place.

Canpital investment, in reference to the Municipal Light Plant, $182,000 of which there are bonds issued and the sinking fund must be created to retire these bonds at maturity. Our hopes are that they be retired out of earnings of the light plant, provided that the future administrations do not do as the present administration has done, by taking for the year 1933 $10,540.30 from the light plant's earnings and turning it into the general revenue fund.

He gives the administration credit for extending Malone Avenue. I, personally, as president of the Sikeston Democratic Club, paid a tax bill against my property on Malone Avenue to defray my part of this paving. I presume that everey other property owner on Malone Avenue defrayed their proportionate part, also. He takes credit for the increase in population of 2000 inhabitants. What a man!

He assumes that he should be held responsible for the decrease in real and personal property assessments. We desire to notify the public that at the present time the State Tax Commission is responsible for every valuation reduction made. That the city officials, regardless of who they are or may be, have no control whtsoever over this factor. However, we do not blame him for assuming credit if it will go uncontested.

He says that the credit standing of this city is such that it is impossible to purchase any of its outstanding bonds in the open market. We are not bond merchants, therefore cannot answer this question, but we do know that to conduct satisfactory business it has been necessary since the first of January to borrow on a general revenue bond $10,000 from the Bank of Sikeston in addition to, by legal force, dismissing its obligation to the Board of Public Works for street fighting, city hall lighting and pumping expenses to the amount of the above mentioned $10,450.30. Thus the present mayor has not held the expendtiures of the City of Sikeston through its general revenue fund to within at least $20,540.30 of its income, and with possibly bills pyable of an unkown quanity still out, which appears to us that he has not made such a great success of the business management of the City's affairs.

Mayor Fuchs says that he is against any proposition that will tend to create factionalism, so he gives the pick of the appointive jobs to the Republicans, in order that he may keep the City out of politics. He says that he has been charged with not being a Democrat. In looking through our roster we fail to find where he is enlisted as a member of the Sikeston Democratic Club. It seems to us that if he were such a staunch Democrt as he claims, he would at least be a member of the organization that now has 940 Democratic members in this city.

In his second circular entitled "Statement", he makes no effort to deny the fact that the figures submitted by the Presnell for Mayor Club were correct, but says why didn't they take the term 30 to 32 in which another lumber company furnished all the material for the new light plant. He also fails to mention that the reason Robinson Lumber Comuany did not supply the material was because the contract was not a direct contract with the city but was sub-let through Fairbanks-Morse Company to the contractor, inasmuch as the City did not have the purchasing of this material direct another concern received this contract.

Mayor Fuchs says that he is very anxious to be re-elected Mayor. Beyond the question of a doubt his his present employer, The Robinson Lumber Company, his son and his nephew are anxious that he be re-elected for who would not be glad to receive city warrants that are payable at par?

C. L. BLANTON, Jr., President
Sikeston Democratic Club

March 15th, 1934

NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF THE SIKESTON TRUST COMPANY OF SIKESTON, MISSOURI

All persons who may have claims against the Sikeston Trust Company of Sikeston, Missouri, are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned and make proper proof thereof within four months from the above date at the banking room of said bank in Sikeston, Missouri, and they are further notified that the last date for presenting said proofs will be Monday, July 16, 1934.

O. H. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Finance of the State of Missouri, in charge of the business and property of said Sikeston Trust Company, Sikeston, Missouri.
By J. S. Wallace, Special Deputy Commissioner in charge.
Friday to June 15, '34

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FOR RENT—5-room house, furnished. See Talley C. Sams at O. K. Barber Shop. tf-53.

FOR SALE—R. I. Red baby chicks, April 9th at $6.50 per hundred. Good used incubators.—Mrs. Morris Walker, Bertrand, Mo. 1tpd.-53

FOR RENT—Modern, furnished room for sleeping or light housekeeping for couple.—307 Scott St., phone 558w. tf.-53.

FOR SALE—Stonesville planting cotton seed.—Joe Crouthers, Sikeston, R3, box 60. Phone 3420. tf-53

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished apartment, at least 3 rooms on ground floor. Call 360. 2t-53

FOR SALE—Good second hand Kimball piano, in fine condition, also Singer and New Royal second hand, 'tho almost new, sewing machines, depression prices and easy terms.—A. E. Shankle, 224 W. Center St. 4t-52.

WANTED—Good Jersey cow. Call 317. tf-52.

FOR SALE—No. 1 Koran Lespedeza, dodder free, no weed, 5c per lb., f. o. b. Gallatin, Tenn.—L. A. Green. 6tpd-51.

FOR SALE—Good used electric ranges at a bargain. See us before buying.—Sikeston Commission Co., opposite Bank of Sikeston. tf-38.

HAY FOR SALE—Choice pea hay, baled.—E. F. Frey, 2 miles east of McMullin. tf.-43.

FOR EXCHANGE—12-room hotel with confectionery and beer. Will trade for Southeast Missouri land. Call at Sikeston Commission Co., Sikeston. See L. O. Gnadt. tf-47.

FOR HAND LAUNDRY call Mrs. Elnora Jones, phone 520w. Will call for and deliver. tf-49.

ROOMS and BOARD—$5.00 per week. 1 block from business district.—302 Trotter St., phone 409. tf-49.

A Truckman Says:

Here is what a Truckman, who hauls cotton from Charleston to Caruthersville, said last week—

"I was trading with another station and decided to try *Simpson's Premium Gasoline* as I had heard so much about it. I drove to your station and filled my truck. Imagine my surprise when I found I got about four miles more to the gallon with **Simpson's Premium Gasoline** over the other brand. Naturally that is the gas I am using."

This is an actual occurence, and we will furnish this gentleman's name on request. Fill up at any of our pumps and stations and see for yourself.

Simpson Oil Company
Headquarters for Motoring Satisfaction

Special Sale

Aladdin ELECTRIC LAMPS

The word "Aladdin" on an electric lamp is sufficient guarantee of style and beauty.

We have on hand thirty or forty very, very pretty ALADDINS that are specially priced. As housecleaning is just ahead such values should move out quickly.

Regular $10.00 Alladin, fluted whipolite shades, white, green or amber

$7.50

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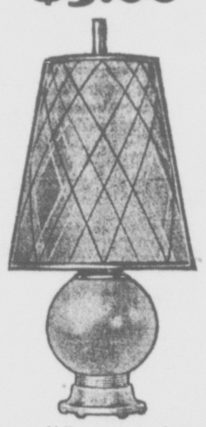

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Dainty boudoirs in white, amber, rose, orchid or blue. Only Aladdin makes such style, regular $2.50 each, special

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Better get in on these early.

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NOTICE—FOR SALE

Have five or six tracts of frontage on the North Kingshighway concrete ro adlying south of the Self Filling Station, which are the best lot bargains in the city limits.

Have one choice business location on U. S. Highway 61. 400 feet north of the intersection of Tanner Street to U. S. H. 61, also a number of one to ten acres tract in a subdivided tract just east of U. S. H. 61 and North of the Mo. Pacific R. R. adjoining the city limits.

Have some buyers for a few small 4 or 5 room houses at reasonable prices, would be pleased to hear from owners wanting to sell.

Also have all kinds of good farm bargains to sell at the lowest price in the history of this or any other county where good land is to be had.

E. J. KEITH

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hitchcock and daughter, Mary An, were in New Madrid Sunday afternoon.

CAN YOU IMAGINE!

CAN YOU IMAGINE — the delight of the man in Louisville, Ky., who, after suffering from stomach disorders for 15 yrs., gained 13¾ lbs. in two months by using BISMA-REX! He never felt better and now enjoys three square meals a day.

EXPLANATION

Bisma-Rex is a new antacid treatment that is bringing welcome relief to thousands everywhere who suffer the agonies of indigestion and other acid stomach ailments. Bisma-Rex acts four ways to give lasting relief i three minutes. It neutralizes excess acid; relieves the stomach of gas; soothes the irritated membranes; and aids digestion of foods most likely to ferment. Bisma-Rex is sold only at Rexall Drug Stores. Get a jar today at Malone's Drug Store.

WANTED

. . . every man, woman and youth to know that unemployment is due to a lack of spiritual progress. Millions have advanced far enough to be doing metaphysical work, which should no longer be perverted or neglected.

Intelligent persons should not hold to positions outgrown. By doing so they block progress and create idleness. Energy should not be sterilized. It should be imbued with spiritual law, for the sake of a wiser manhood and a more noble womanhood.

Those who have had the experience of raising a family, and all who are to enjoy this blessed privilege, may learn spiritual law, in which there are openings higher up in the line of success. A position that has served its good ends for individual preparation, should be vacated to give someone else a chance, in democratic order Higher positions are being revealed and should be accepted lest we stultify humanity.

In the realm of the real new positions of employment are opening, which many are expecting to fill in heaven that should be filled on earth here and now. The vision of the prophets is being repeated on a world-wide scale. They foresaw the Christ and foretold of his coming, and of the resultant advancement in fulfillment of promise.

To prepare humanity for this, Christianity revealed new ideas, and Christian civilization has established the English language, democracy, the United States of America, free schools, rubber, oil, and air ages and now that the Gospel has been preached to all nations, the 'Spirit of truth' which Jesus promised is presented in my TREATISE ON SPIRITUAL LAW.

The great World War, the shameful religious conflict in the political campaign of 1928, the crash of 1929, the depression, were all devinely directed as evidences of God's chastening love, to place mankind in a receptive mood. This is why the President's ideas have been readily accepted. He is applying spiritual law politically. It should also be applied socially and in business to make this a law-abiding nation, reproducing, subduing, controlling, not only in the name but in the nature of Christ.

Every person in any position of authority, in any business or profession, and especially all who are engaged in writing, publishing, teaching, and law-enforcement, should send for my TREATISE ON SPIRITUAL LAW. Postpaid on receipt of $1. Many who have read it volunteer the endorsement of the highest import to present and future generations. Every dollar received whil be used to publish and extend a knowledge of the practical utility of spiritual law. -1.

ENOS ELI SUTHERLAND
Box 316, Gardner, Mass.

SPRING HOUSE-CLEANING TIME

When spring comes round each year our thoughts just automatically turn to house-cleaning. Not the back-breaking, nerve-wracking, disposition ruing house-cleaning of other days but a pretty thorough cleaning for all that. An extra polish on the silver, a higher burnish on the copper and an extra gleam on the window panes.

Speaking of copper and window panes, we have just discovered a grand way to brighten both of these articles. A paste of vinegar and salt, vigorously applied, removes every vestige of the green tarnish that persists in clinging to copper. Then a brisk application of metal polish and a final rubbing with oil to stop the action of the acid on the metal makes the copper shine as brgihtly as the day it was made. And for an extra special gleam on the window panes try polishing them off with a chamois and then with soft paper.

But to get back to this thorough cleaning: We suggest that you take an inventory of your cleaning equipment, being sure to have plenty of large soft cloths, a wall brush, an oiled floor mop, soap and water. Be sure the vacuum cleaner is in good running order and that all the attachments function as they should. Then begin.

Go about the thing systematically. Take it a room at a time. We always begin with the dusting of small objects which are carefully put away and then the fun begins. The next stop is to dust the walls with a wall brush, beginning at the ceiling and brushing down. Then vacuum the rugs and upholstered furniture. Carefully clean the draperies with the proper attachment, fold them and store them away. Wash the woodwork with one of those cleaning compounds and a barely damp cloth, wipe it off with a cloth wrung out of clear water, and then stand back for a moment and notice the dazzling cleanliness.

Next attack the floors. If they need it wash them carefully. Long-handled mops are available for this task. Then wax them with one of the quick-drying liquid waxes, being sure that the floor is completely dry before you start.

Now you are ready to turn your attention to the furniture. All furniture revives miraculously after a soap and water bath. Use a warm suds and a cloth that has been wrung almost dry, wipe off with a cloth wrung from clear water, dry with a lintless cloth, and then polish with your favorite furniture polish.

Next attack the windows and when they fairly sparkle hang up fresh curtains. Rearrange the furniture, quickly dust the objects that you put away when you started to clean, and you are ready to heave a sigh of relief, pause awhile to admire your handiwork and proceed to the next room.

This all sounds pretty strenuous, but it isn't nearly so bad as it sounds, and the house looks so fresh and springlike when you've finished that it's worth it.

PUBLIC ACCIDENTS

In its annual report of public accidents for 1932 (the 1933 report not yet being available) the Missouri State Board of Health states that drowning and firearms accidents totaled 291 as compared with 275 for the year previous. Deaths caused by venimous animals in 1932 were 3 as compared with 5 for the 1931 report.

Accidental deaths of all types totaled 3459 for 1932 as compared with 3715 for 1931, a decrease of 256. The greatest number of accidental deaths were caused by falls and automobiles. While there were some 2500 persons in a small deer hunting area during the three-day open season in 1933, no fatalities were reported.

Garden Time Is Here

We have a new stock of Bulk Garden Seeds and a car of Darling's Fertilizer for Garden and Field crops.

Don't forget we do Public Weighing. Our scales are accurate and we can weigh up to 13 tons.

Bring in your scrap iron. We pay in cash the Sikeston market price.

SIKESTON COAL COMPANY

Otis Fahrenkopf
Manager

OUT OF DOORS NEWS BRIEFS

Remote sections of Marvel Cave in Stone county were explored recently by a small group of Drury College students. The cave is reputed to be sixteen million years old.

Conservation workers near Cassville located in Roaring River State Park, have recently discovered two new caves in the park property. One of the caverns has been explored for a distance of several hundred feet. Two large rooms have been found with interesting rock formations. Each cave has much to offer in stalagmitic or stalactitic formations which intrigue the imagination.

Indian Mounds rich in product of aboriginal art have been found near Easley on the Missouri River, twenty-five miles southeast of Columbia, Boone County.

A 90-acre park has been completed just west of the city limits of Warsaw, Benton County, on the north bank of the Osage River. Several thousand feet of roadways and nature trails have been constructed as well as camping facilities, such as dutch ovens and tables, provided. CWA funds were utilized in the work. The park is the site of former Indian camp grounds and the area is rich in Indian lore. Historic Kaysinger Bluff has been landscaped. CWA and emergency workers have given many cities of the State an opportunity to build parks, improve water areas and other recreational advantages.

Anglers report crawfiish the ideal bait for early bank and boat fishing now.

Burnt areas are shunned by most bird life, so care with fire in our outdoors is important. Most people seem to believe that running fires in the spring are beneficial, that they clean up the country. The consequences become a common burden, yet the practice continues. The fact is that fires do not create, they destroy. The practice of setting them is responsible for most of the treeless wastes, described in the legthening lists of tax delinquent lands, that everybody pays for. Tree growth is absolutely essential to any game program.

Limit catches of crappie are reported from below the Bagnell Dam on the Osage River. White Bass are also reported to be running below the big dam.

Tipton produce dealers have received orders for several thousand more live rabbits to be sent to New York for propagation purposes. During December and January 9000 live bunnies were shipped east from Moniteau and Cooper counties.

This Week in Naval History

1917—Aztec, American Armed ship, sunk in submarine zone.

April 2, 1781—U. S. S. Alliance captured British Privateers Mars and Minerva off coast of France.

April 3, 1813—U. S. S. Constitution cleared and escaped from British squadron off Marblehead, Mass.

April 4, 1776—U. S. S. Cabot captured British Ship Hawk (First ship captured by our Navy).

April 5, 1776—Colonial Ship Hornet captured H. M. S. Bolton off Block Island.

1831—Treaty of Mexico arranged.

1917—American steamer Missourian sunk in Mediterranean.

April 6. 1779—U. S. Force of three vessels captured seven out of nine enemy vessels and manned them all in four hours. A British Colonel and 23 British Army officers among prisoners captured, they were on way to join regiments in the south.

1909—The North Pole was discovered and reached by Robert E. Peary, U. S. Navy.

1917—Congress declared a state of war as already in existence on account of the hostile acts of Germany.

April 7, 1863—Naval attacks on Fort Sumter and on Forts at Charleston, S. C.

FARMER'S WIT TRUMPED

Someone always manages to make the most of a dull situation. Nelson Walker, a Clatonia, Nebraska, farmer, in making out his corn-hog contract application, assiduously noted facts and details throughout the length of the questionnaire. Finally, he came upon the request for information regarding the number of pigs which had died. "Twenty hogs died", he wrote, "and went to heaven".

An allotment committee official was not to be outdone. He added a memorandum to the application and returned it. His note said: "Record of hogs' death accepted, but contract returned for more proof of destination of hogs' souls. Please obtain an affidavit from St. Peter so contract can be approved".

Walker is now puzzled.

LEAVES STRANGE WILL

"I also request to be buried as an atheist", stated Lie Pauls, 79 years old, who died recently in Cape Girardeau, in an unusual will executed on October 3, 1933. Pauls, formerly of Bollinger County, engaged in truck gardening and owned four small tracts of real estate.

After bequeathing varying sums to friends and relations, Pauls stipulated that "the balance and remainder of my estate be given by J. H. Boardman to the needy and distressed caused by windstorms, cyclones and tornadoes, as he sees fit to hand it to them, not all in one place, but as they come along, to to be distributed in Missouri and Southern Illinois'."

It is though that little will remain from the estate, valued at approximately $2000, for charity. Boadman, the executor, is a merchant in Illmo.

FARMERS APPEAL FOR AID

Farmers living in the Neelyville section south of Poplar Bluff have asked the federal government to send a trapper to kill wolves in that area. It is said that the wolves are killing many chickens and some small pigs.

The beasts have multiplied since a federal trapper left the section a year ago after staying several months. While there, the trapper killed approximately twenty wolves and fifty bob cats.

A revised bulletin on "Missouri Bird Study for Amateurs" with a pocket list of Missouri birds is now ready for distribution and may be had upon request.

Forestry areas have been increased to include 2,000,000 acres in Missouri with the addition of two new units, the Wappapelo, 261,960 acres, and Gardner, 253,440 acres.

HERE'S a Tie Treat!

Lots of ties are good looking for a day. But ARROW CRAVATS *keep* their good looks a long, long time. That's because they're correctly cut, easily tied, and *hard to wrinkle*. They're made from fine, heavy silk . . . and our new assortment is more brilliant than ever!

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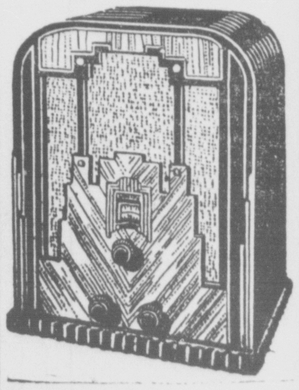

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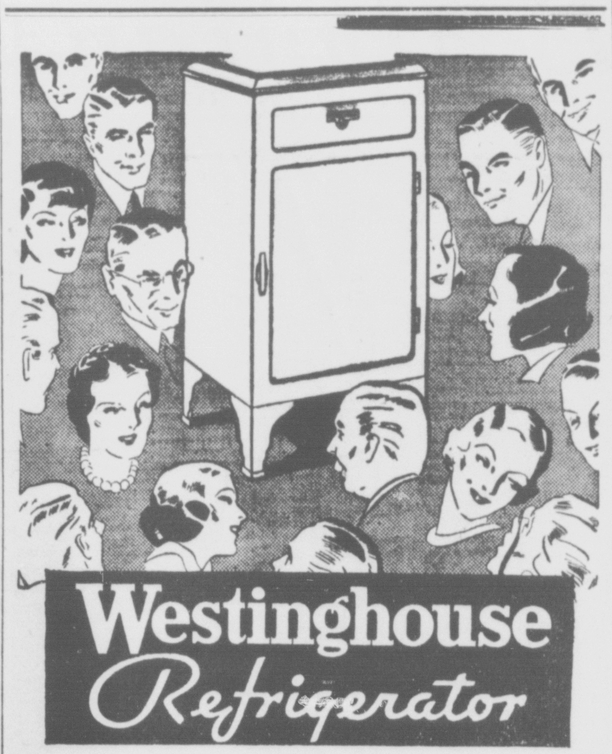

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The community wishes to extend its sympathy to Mrs. Owen Johnson and children, who lost their husband and father in death last week.

Mrs. Virginia Thompson and son, Loren, returned to their home in Normal, Ill., Wednesday morning.

Misses Vera and Geneva Tetley, Albert Tetley and Carl Watson visited with Rosell and J. D. Cook, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and son, Joe, shopped in Morehouse, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adcock and children entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon.

Don Tetley of Fairview community spent Tuesday night with Carl Watson.

Mrs. Owen Johnson and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Giske and family, who live south of Canalou.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tetley spent Sunday afternoon visiting in Bufington.

Wayne and John Estill returned to their home in Springfield, Ill., Saturday after a week's stay with their sister, Mrs. Owen Johnson and family.

SALCEDO NEWS

John Patterson has returned from St. Louis, where he has been residing for the past three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tate and family spent a short while with Mr. and Mrs. Ellick Patrick Saturday night.

Ellick Patrick was a visitor in Morehouse, Friday.

Mrs. Marion Darter has returned from Toledo, Ohio, where she has been for the past three months.

Mrs. John Patterson is expected home Sunday from St. Louis, where she has been in a hospital for two months.

Ernest Tate and John Patterson motored to Rector, Ark., last week on business.

On the sick list at this writing is Martha Patrick, who has been ill for some time.

Miss Alene King spent the day with Misses Agnes and Virginia Shoaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tate spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Darter, Sunday.

Rev. Warren filled his regular appointment at New Harmony G. B. Church Sunday and Sunday night.

Warren York of near Miner Switch was a visitor of Rube Shoap Sunday afternoon.

Misses Leona Howe and Veda Paterson were entertained Sunday afternoon by Mrs. Joe Tate and Clarence Cantrell.

Ernest Tate spent a short while with Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Wallace, Sunday night.

SEVENTY-TWO YEARS AGO UNIVERSITY WAS CLOSED

It was seventy-two years ago this week the University of Missouri was discontinued, and classes were called to a halt in order to release the buildings to the Federal soldiers of the Civil War.

It was on March 28, 1862 that the old Academic Hall, which burned in 1892, was occupied by Federal troops that took part in the Civil War. At the time of the war the University buildings numbered four, the main building, the president's home, the astronomical observatory, and the grammar school. The campus was shaded by many forest trees. During their occupation the soldiers killed most of the trees and made an almost barren plain out of what had been an almost natural park. Vandal soldiers badly damaged the buildings, valuable books were taken from the library, and all the geologic discoveries and collections were carried off. Rooms in the main building were used for prisons and many holes were cut in the wall by prisoners in an effort to escape.

At the close of the Civil War the University was re-organized with a faculty of four. And it was through the efforts of President John H. Lathrop, that the University of Missouri was reorganized, reopened and started for the second time to the position it now occupies among the institutions of higher learning in this country.

TO THOSE WHO OWE

By Art L. Walhausen in Poplar Bluff Republican

Of all the professions in the world that of collecting holds the least fascination for me. Which leads to this observation.

That those who contract bills should not only make every effort to pay their obligation, but to actually meet bill collectors with a smile of gratitude.

Silly? Foolish? Impossible?

Possibly the latter, but the first two are far from wrong.

In the first place the person who has extended credit has faith in you and in your ability and WILLINGNESS to pay. He has extended visible goods or services for your convenience at a time when it was to your interest possibly to do so.

But what happens when he drops around to collect for his goods or services one month, two months or a half year later? Not once in fifty times is he so much as thanked, let alone met with a smile. Frowns, short words, "Damn bill collector", "Come back Tuesday", "Of all the times to come in . . . " "Aw heck, I tho't my wife took care of that", "Can't fool with you now", "I told my daughter not to buy that stuff, collect from her but get out of here", "Bills, bills, bills, nothing but bills".

Those are samples of a nice quiet day for a bill collector.

As a matter of fact bills contracted on credit do have a way of climbing and getting just a bit ahead of the schedule. But is that the fault of the young man or woman who is handed a bunch of statements or invoices, and told to bring in the dough?

But the pet gripe of yours truly is the pest who gets sore when he receives a statement of account. "Guess you're afraid you wouldn't get your money, had to send me a dun".

Guys like that get in my hair.

They're just wide enough between the eyes to accommodate a nose, and they're usually vacant from the eyebrows up. Vacant r solid ivory.

Statements—or duns—are a convenience. No first rate business could long continue without them. Through them costs are confirmed, and the record of purchases balanced against available cash. They provide a handy check against error. And after all, a statement is a reminder of your credit standing.

And another thing. I've noticed, and I have not read this in the papers, that the Big Bad Wolf who scowls and frowns before he appends his John Hancock on the check for the benefit of the visiting collector, is the world's worst offender in demanding that accounts due him be paid cheerfully and Johnny on the spot. It never fails.

Once again, every Ghost Walker has had experience with the nuisance who "can't pay just now, come back in about an hour". After four or five such trips the debtor finally gets around to saying, "better drop around again next week".

For Pete's sake, if the money isn't available, say so, it will save your time and no telling how much shoe leather and nervous energy on the part of the collector.

There comes times in most businesses when capital is tied up in stock, in credit, in frozen loans, or in any one of a dozen other operations. In such instances why not tell your bill collector friends to leave the statement blank, and that you'll try to get around to it by the tenth, or the first of next month instead of storming and ranting around—after all that's bad on your own blood pressure and whatever genttmanly instincts the B. C. has left by the time he reaches your place.

It's a great life.

IT IS GARDEN TIME AGAIN

With spring arriving officially last week many people are beginning to get out the garden tools and make plans for their gardens. With this in mind J. W. C. Anderson, Extension Instructor in Horticulture, of the Missouri College of Agriculture advises that the best garden seeds and plants are the cheapest in the long run since the increased yield and quality of the products will more than pay the extra cost of good seeds. The importance of using the best seed and the best plants cannot be emphasized too strongly, according to Prof. Anderson, since it takes just as much time, space, and labor to plant and cultivate half a stand as a full stand.

If the gardener follows the practice of saving his own seed, it should always be selected from the most vigorous and high yielding plants.

If plants are purchased it is advisable to obtain them from a local grower who produces strong vigorous individuals that are free of disease. Plants so grown can be stronger and sturdier, and will not have been subjected to the drying and stunting effects of shipping long distances. In using plants shipped from other parts there's always danger of introducing such diseases as cabbage yellows and others, which may cause loss of the entire crop. Such diseases once started in the garden are almost impossible to stamp out.

If the plants are raised by the garden owner, they should be hardened off by withholding water and exposing them to the outside temperatures a week or ten days before transplanting them into the garden. Bulletins about various crops and about the home garden may be obtained by writing to the Agricultural Editor, Missouri College of Agriculture, Columbia, Mo.

The unemployed of Gardena, Calif., were treated to a baby lobster dinner when a judge ordered 650 pounds of them, confiscated by game wardens, distributed to the jobless.

CODE HAS PRINTERS ON THE SPOT

Newspaper publishers and commercial printers, from top to bottom, are having a few troubles in complying with the NRA codes as well as other tradesmen. And, like most others, they are trying to take the medicine with as little outspoken agony as possible.

Newspapers are being asked by the federal department of agricultur to publish the "hog-corn" lists at a very low rate because sufficient funds are not available. A request from the government is accepted as a command and a publisher hesitates to decline for fear of being branded a chiseler or a person opposed to the recovery program. Then one of the most conspicuous provisions of the graphic arts code, which is a law and must be adhered to the same as any other law, recites that all publishers, big or little, must charge not less than the legal rate established by State law for all notices or publications ordered by any State or federal subdivision.

So the publishers find themselves confronted with a double-barrelled gun, one barrel "requesting" special low rates for certain legal notices, and the other barrel warning that dire punishment awaits those who chisel.

Commercial printers, commonly known as job printers, are expected to toe the mark. Every such printer, whether he employs any additional people or not, must have a price list approved by the code authorities. Three such lists have been approved and each costs $25. One list is regarded as being much more complete than the others and it will likely get 90 per cent of the orders. The actual cost of the price list may be as much as $5, but commercial printers will pay $25 each for them and since thousands of printers have a bonanza, thanks to the federal command.

These price lists show the fair price that should be charged for every imaginable kind of printing. The code provides that printers must charge not less than the price quoted in the price list and if they charge less, or if they charge the price and then give any kind of rebate or special inducement, they are guilty of violating the law and if reported will have to defend themselves against punishment.

The biggest printing concern and the smallest individual printer must be guided by the approved price list. If a higher price is charged than the list quotes it will be no violation of the provisions.

The theory of such price regulation is that printers and publishers will have a larger income with which to pay higher wages and employ more workmen. Whether this theory will work out successfully awaits to be seen but that all publishers and printers must toe the mark is a conclusion that cannot be questioned.—Cape Missourian.

MAN MAKES IT UP WITH LATENT LOVE

By Helen Rowland

A man doesn't begin dreaming of romance at six or seven, as many a little girl does—but he makes up for it by going right on, at 60 or 70, pursuing sentimental adventures, under the impression that he will catch the Bluebird.

The difference between spending money on a gal, before and after marriage, is, to the average man, very much like the difference between digging for fishing-worms and spading up his wife's flower garden. The first is a sport—the second, just a painful duty.

Brainy girls may have lots of admirers, but they seldom make happy marriages; because the moment a man discovers that his wife's cleverness is beginning to make him look a moron, he starts looking about for something so dumb that she will make him feel like a master mind or an intellectual colossus.

Alimony: The back-payments on dead love. The punishment for having stopped loving a woman, whom you never should have begun loving.

SALESMAN WINS MEDAL

R. T. Boyer of Sikeston, salesman for Starck Brothers nurseries, has received an engraved gold honor medal "as a reward for loyalty and efficient work", according to a letter written him by Lawrence Starck. Participating in a nation-wide sales contest held during March, Mr. Boyer sold a requisite number of fruit trees to win the medal, which is approximately the size of a $10 gold piece.

Sap Spradlen has been told over the radio by a fortune teller that he is going to change positions right soon. He believes it is a case of mistaken identity, as he hasn't had one in ten years.—Commercial Appeal.

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1 International Cultivator
1 Disk Cultivator
4 Busy Bee Cultivators
3 Mule Disks
1 Tractor Disk
1 Alfalfa Drill
4 Scratchers
2 Smoothing Harrows
9 Box Wagons
5 Iron Wheel Wagons
5 Oliver Breaking Plows
1 2-row Stock Cutter
2 Dump Hay Rakes
1 Side Delivery Hay Rake
1 2-bottom Tractor Plow
1 Hay Tedder
4 Gee Whiz Scratchers
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1 John Deere Cotton Planter (2-row)
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"Mud Shake" Machine Provides Data for Highway Builders

A typical, unimproved rural road such as thousands of farmers are still forced to depend on in transporting their products to market.

THE contrast between the rutted, "mud hole" road at the left and the smooth, hard-surface highway at the right, pictures the whole problem of adequate farm-to-market roads.

Strangely enough the solution of the problem of providing such improved roads to furnish the farmer with proper transportation facilities between farm and market, has been aided by the "mud shake" machine, employed in one of the basic laboratory tests developed in the Arlington, Va., laboratories of the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads.

The test provides a method of determining the proportions of sand, clay, silt and other materials in road soils. A first step in this method of soil analysis is to obtain a thorough dispersion of the sample in distilled water by the use of the special "mud shake" machine.

The varying constituents of road soils have a determining influence upon the service which sand, sand-clay and gravel roads can be expected to render.

U. S. Bureau of Public Roads Photo

The "mud shake" machine in action.

The presence of the traffic marker graphically illustrates the relative stability of this improved [illegible] the protection between the soil particles, binding them together and providing stability. The extent to which soils develop moisture film cohesion is largely dependent upon the materials of which they are composed.

Increasing use of chemical admixtures such as calcium chloride—a substance which when spread on the road surface slows down evaporation and draws additional moisture from the air—has played an important part in the rapid development of sand, sand-clay and gravel roads that provide a hard, smooth surface, virtually a "soil concrete", at low cost. The road shown at the right, in Onondaga County, N. Y., is a typical example of such calcium chloride treated highways.

PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS FROM PARIS APPEAL

Another thing that might contribute towards industrial peace would be a law requiring a labor leader's salary to stope when he ordered a srtike which stopped the pay of his followers.

A cash register salesman visited Paris merchants last week. Half of them thanked him for the compliment. The other half thought he was making fun of them, and chased him out of their stores.

Not one person in a thousand finds any use for the airmail. This explains the lack of interest in efforts to return it to the bandits who had been using it as a weapon for extorting money from the national treasury.

Town, city, State and nation are disappointed in the taxes they expected to collect from legalized liquor. There is a reason—two reasons, to be exact. One is the extortion that is being practiced by liquor manufacturers. The average man continues to buy illegal liquor at a third of what these extortioners demand. Reason No. 2 is the lack of public sentiment against local bootleggers, hardly any of whom have been prosecuted since prohibition was repealed.

The trouble with the president's efforts to deal with organized labor is that organized labor would rather listen to a high-salaried leader who advocates a strike than to a real friend like Franklin D. Roosevelt who undertakes to do something constructive in its behalf. It was this way when Woodrow Wilson favored shorter hours and longer pay for union laborers during the World War. The more their hours were reduced and the more their compensation was increased the more unreasonable their leaders became. What our Government should do is to forbid strikes, forcing Capital and Labor to resort to an established tribunal with their disputes, just as the rest of us must do.

The United States and Japan are making some more peace pledges. But nobody expects Japan to take them seriously. Always she has violated her agreements when a dishonest course promised a coveted reward. Less than ten years ago she covenanted with the United States and other nations to respect the territory of China, since which time she has pillaged the Chinese of their best possessions. Worse still, she has violated solemn agreements made with the League of Nations and has spit in the face of every Government, including our own, which reminded her of treaty pledges. Japan, it will be remembered, destroyed the Russian battle fleet at Port Arthur when a state of peace prevailed between those nations, thus enabling her to win a war she otherwise would have lost. Our Government should make more agreements with Russia and less with Japan, for the Japs undoubtedly plan to fight both countries in the course of time.

OUR BROTHER IS GRATEFUL

We country fellers have another big advantage over our city cousins. It is after recovering from a great affliction. When we get able to be down town again there is a warm personal greeting from everybody, from the old and the young, from the high and the low, from the rich and the poor, from the whites and the blacks. There is a special thrill to the words of children as they flock to your side and shout their pleasure at seeing you out again. Then there are the neighbors who volunteer to do your daily tasks and the friends who send flowers or good things to eat to your bedside. If you are a man in active business your competitor down the street ceases to be a rival for business. Instead, he unobtrusively seeks to be of service to those who are carrying on for you. The world, which used to be so cold and forbidding at times, now seems a heavenly place in which to live, and you feel inspired to dedicate more of your time, more of your talents and more of your means to God, home and humanity. What a contrast all this is to the experience of a city cousin who has had a long siege in hospital or home. Nobody has missed him from the streets. Except in his immediate family or office there probably are not a dozen people who knew of his misfortune. This, of course, is not because the inhabitants of his community are thoughtless or mean. It is because of the fact that where hundreds of thousands live within the narrow boundaries of a city the individual becomes lost among the masses and too often finds it impossible to get well acquainted with even his nearest neighbors. Getting down to personalities, the Appeal editor always has liked to live in Paris and Monroe county. He has never realized what universally fine and lovable people they contain as since the great misfortune which overtook his household three months ago. Thank God for the privilege of living in such a town and county! And thank God for the office associates who carried on so loyally and so efficiently during his long absence!—Jack Blanton in Paris Appeal.

HOME SURVEY COMPLETED

A part of the federal rural housing survey which has been in progress in New Madrid County for three months was completed Thursday. During that time twenty-two persons were employed and more than $3500 was brought into the county.

While the survey has been made in only eleven representative Missouri counties, its results are intended to affect the whole State. From the survey, government authorities will learn rural home owners' needs in regard to repairs and improvements, as well as their attitudes about borrowing money from the government to make them.

It is thought that if farmers would accept long-time loans with small interest rates, building industry would revive and employment increase.

"Can't something be done for that ship in distress?" asked an old lady at the seaside.

"It's alright, mam. We sent a line to the crew to come ashore", said the Coast Guardsman.

Old Lady (excitedly)—"Good gracious! Must they have a formal invitation?"

"Pat" Scott—"Why does the whistle blow for a fire?"

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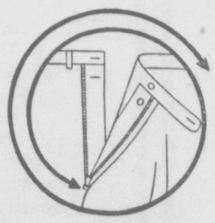

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No. 2½ can, each . 10c

Catsup Country Club 14-oz. bottle 10c

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POTATOES 15-pound peck . 27c

Lard Edible Suet Added 3 pounds 25c

BACON Half or Whole pound . . 14c

OLEO Eatmore Brand 3 pounds . 25c

CHEESE Longhorn or Daisy pound . . 19c

Vote for ROBT. DEMPSTER for City Attorney

Personal News of Sikeston

By Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Their romance was born under the languorous warmth of southern skies.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marshall entertained the following Sunday at their home in Crowder: Mr and Mrs. Harry Pratt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stacy and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Kiser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Marshall and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Inman, Miss Lena Payne and Miss Jessie Stacy.

They faced danger of dishonor and death for an hour of ecstasy. —Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Tom Gardner, Royal Neighbor Juvenile director, entertained with an egg hunt Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for the members of that camp. The hunt was held on the large lawn in front of the home, and was in the farm of the "fowl" game with two leaders. When the eggs were found, the finder letting the captain know by mimmicking named fowl. The hunt was followed by horseback riding, and foot races. Lots of fun was had by all, the following Juveniles attending: Elizabeth, Roy and Billie Wagner, Electa and Billie Shankle and Dempsey Gardner. Other guests were: Mary Helen Wagner, Marcella Johnson of East Prairie and Dorsetta and Vernon Johnson of Matthews. The Juveniles, their guests and the following were served refreshments at 6 o'clock: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagner, Mrs. M. E. Prouty, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker, East Prairie, and Mrs. Lottie Johnson of Matthews.

While life throbs in the veins of youth . . . no power on earth can keep a boy and girl from seeking love.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Billie Fox left Sunday for Columbia, after spending the Easter holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox. He is attending the Missouri University there.

Southern romance . . . warm and languorous in the mysterious bayous of Louisiana.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Garwood Sharp and Miss Ruth Inez Felker were in Poplar Bluff last Thursday night, where they visited John Denman, a patient in the Brandon Hospital there.

In a tiny sheltered world she grew up with no knowledge of love . . . until the man of her heart dropped out of nowhere.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Purtle, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Purtle and son, Raymond, of Nashville, Tenn., arrived Sunday for a few days' visit with the formers' daughter, Mrs. Steve Witt and family. They will also visit with Mrs. Purtle's mother and sister, Mrs. M. F. Darby and Mis Edith, while here.

A love story that will grip your heart in the intensity of its realism.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Davis entertained the following Sunday at their home in this city: Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kiser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Satterfield and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, Cairo, Ill.; Dee Atherton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Witt and children and Mrs. Nora Atherton, of Tanner.

Romance . . thundering drama . . gripping conflict are all blended into this most entertaining picture of the year.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson and daughter, Miss Helen, and Miss Mildred Williams were in Cape Girardeau last Friday night.

The cajuns . . "Lost Acadians" . . . most mysterious of all southern peoples provide a colorful human background for "Lazy River".—Malone Theatr, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cooper and Miss Freda Reese spent Sunday in Oran with friends. While there they also attended the revival meeting being held at the Baptist church by Rev. Jas. Rayburn of St. Louis.

The only picture ever made with scenes in the little known bayous and lagoons of Louisiana. —Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Tanner and son of St. Louis spent the weekend here with Mr. Tanner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Tanner. We are sorry to report the condition of Mr. Tanner is unchanged.

Men . . . love . . . and life . . she sought them all under the glamorous southern moon.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Maggie Lillard, Mrs. Anna Winchester and Mrs. Myra McConnell of Arlington, Ky., spent Sunday in Sikeston. Mrs. Lillard visited her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Matthews III. and family; Mrs. Winchester with her niece, Mrs. Frank Van Horne, and Mrs. McConnell visiting Mrs. J. L. Tanner and family.

Love that will stir your heart . . . drama that will shake your soul . . . and comedy that starts roars of laughter is the formula for entertainment offered in "Lazy River".—Malone Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson and daughter, Ruth, and Miss Grace Cline of St. Louis visited the latter part of last week with W. H. Cline and family of Route One. Miss Cline visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Shoulders of this city.

Three of the maddest, merriest maniacs ever seen together take charge of the quietest beauty spot this side of heaven.—Malone Theatre, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Dora Suvers, Mrs. Lee Cunningham, Mrs. Ruby Hamby and son, Jesse Lee, were in Oran Sunday afternoon, to attend the revival meeting being conducted there by Rev. Jas. Rayburn of St. Louis.

Hell hath no fury like a wife starved for love!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The following were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gardner, Sunday: Mrs. Sophia Edmondson, Mrs. M. E. Prouty, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardner, Billie and Roy Wagner, Jr., Sikeston; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker of East Prairie and Mrs. Lottie Johnson and children of Matthews.

Flaming secrets from a woman's broken heart!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Lynnette Stallcup left yesterday (Monday) for Gulfport, Miss., where she is attending the Gulf Park Seminary, after spending the Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Stallcup.

Can one woman's love be more important than another's life?—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

We are glad to report that Mrs. L. D. Randol is now able to be out again.

Chatterton rises to new heights of dramatic achievement!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Bess returned to her home in Poplar Bluff, last Thursday. Mrs. Bess had been here at the home of her son, Wayne Bess, helping to care for her grandson, Albert Keith, who had the pneumonia. He is now reported to be getting along nicely.

Harvey S. Johnson was called to Benton Sunday night on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Joyce at Vanduser, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger A. Bailey and son, Roger, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lathem were in Dexter, Sunday afternoon.

Page after page ripped from the tear-stained diary of her guilty heart!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Caughlin, a teacher at Kennett, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caughlin, at Morley.

A woman knows no law but her own blind fury!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Schmidt spent Saturday and Sunday in Cape Girardeau, visiting Mrs. Schmidt's mother, Mrs. Mary Ristig.

The great Chatterton playing her heart out in a role that will haunt your dreams!—Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rice and C. J. Hinkle of Pahokee, Fla., arrived last Fridya for a visit with Mrs. Rice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kindred, at McMullin. Mr. Hinkle is a nephew of Mr. Kindred.

Is a husband private property? —Malone Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Baker and children spent from Friday until Sunday with relatives at Peoria, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Fry and daughter, and Miss Elsie Rayburn of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rayburn and Mrs. Walter Gerhardt and daughters of Cape Girardeau spent Sunday here with their brother, Walter Rayburn and family.

Miss Corene E. Heisserer spent Easter with homefolks in Oran.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones were 7 o'clock dinner guests last Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scott of Cairo. Mr. and Mrs. Scott left that night for St. Louis, where they will remain a short while, he being a salesman for the Independent Packing Company of that city. Mr. Scott is being transferred from Cairo to another territory.

Btween $45 and $50 was made from the Easter bazaar held last Saturday by the Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harris and children of Portageville, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yamitz and children of Route One were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott, Sunday.

Miss Ada Kirkbride spent Saturday night and Sunday in Cape Girardeau with her sister, Mrs. Art Moore.

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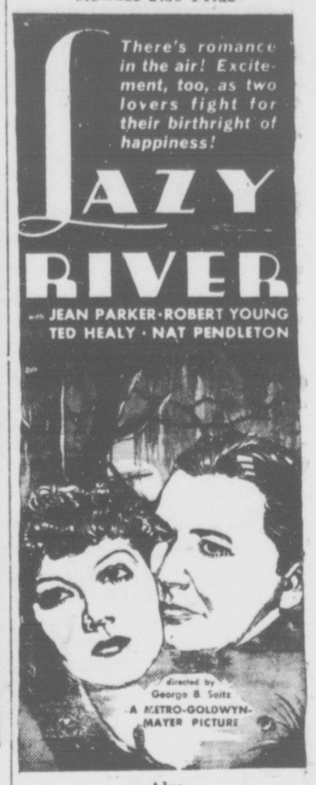

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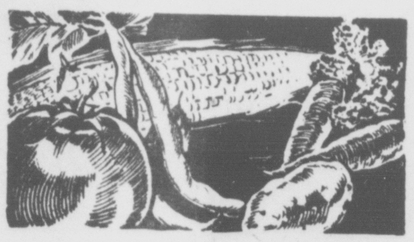

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Sikeston's Public Schools

I believe that the Public Schools of Sikeston have been fairly efficiently managed in the past. Some mistakes have been made of course—it is human to err. But however good the management has been, you must admit that the choosing of the Board of Directors in Sikeston, has been clannish and dictatorial. The public, the voter at large, the average citizen has had no word to say in it. A few have gotten together, or by grapevine telephone, have named the men whose names were put on the ticket, and it has been up to you to vote for them, or else. These men have been selected from among the inner circle, with the result that no outsider has had any opportunity to get on the ticket.

I do not believe in clannish government, nor in gag rule, nor do I believe that the average citizen of Sikeston believes in this sort of government. Lincoln said "God must have loved the common people, he made so many of them", and it is to the common people, who have a love and desire for a Representative Government, that I am appealing, to put me on the Board of Education, of the Sikeston School District.

I am a young man, pay school taxes, and have children in school, thus you can see my interest in our city and our community, and I feel that if you will put me on the Board of Public Education, I may be able to do something a little different, or a little better. I can at least say that if you elect me, I have, and will keep, an open independent mind, to serve the whole people, to the best of my ability.

I am not the chosen one, selected by the inner circle to run, but you, the independent voter, can elecet me by leaving my name on your ballot. Won't you do this?

Leave ONLY my name on your ballot—and by so doing, say to everyone that you believe in giving a young man a chance, that no man nor set of men shall arbitrarily say who shall serve you on the School Board, say to you "Here he is, take him or leave him".

No man, nor set of men, no matter how good they may be, have the right to perpetuate themselves in office, or to select their successors, year in and year out. It is the voters right, who are stockholders in this great institution, to say who shall serve them.

Let's "re-Deal" and give a young man a chance.

Yours to serve,

LYMAN GROSS